

THE EVENING NEWS.

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BENTON HARBOR, MICH., THURSDAY, JUNE 10, 1897.

ONE CENT.

THE DEAL IS OFF.

The Cash Could Not Be Raised to Open the Buss Machine Works.

AN EFFORT WAS MADE TODAY.

C. M. Edick and E. Brant Each Subscribed Two Thousand Dollars for Stock.

With the subscription paper started by C. M. Edick and Edward Brant for \$2,000 each it was impossible to raise enough money to buy the Buss machine works and begin the manufacture of the Spaulding gas engine. The committee appointed at the citizens' meeting last night—C. M. Edick, L. O. Chatfield and C. J. Brown—after securing about \$8,000 of the needed \$50,000 threw up their hands in despair and declared off all negotiations.

The owners of the plant now manufacturing these engines will go to Muskegon and try to arrange for the starting of the business in that city, where they state a bonus is in waiting.

This morning the committee found a large number of men who really impressed them with the idea that they would invest liberally if they only had a little ready money, while some who could take an interest just as well as not flatly refused to become connected with this or any other enterprise.

In addition to the \$2,000 subscriptions of Mr. Edick, Mr. Brant and Mr. Hartsough, of the Mitchell machine company, L. O. Chatfield agreed to take \$500 stock, and it was intimated that J. J. Miller would make outright a donation of \$500. Many other smaller subscriptions were promised bringing the total up nearly to \$8,000.

In the city there are about twenty machinists and moulders who could be induced to take at least \$2,000 in stock and pay the same in work, each workman leaving a part of his earnings to apply on the stock purchase. It is quite probable that \$5,000 could be raised from machinists who would be willing to pay their stock in work.

It is possible another effort may be made in the direction of the enterprise. The industry is such a good one that Benton Harbor ought not to let it pass unimproved.

THE CITIZENS' MEETING.

In Numbers and Enthusiasm It Was a Disappointment.

The small attendance at the meeting held at the city hall last evening to reach a decision in regard to opening

the Buss factory with the Spaulding gasoline engine plant showed a lack of enterprise and enthusiasm on the part of our people. There were chairs enough in the city hall to provide seats for all.

President Miller of the board of trade acknowledged that he was discouraged and disappointed and he feared that the best opportunity this city ever had was about to slip away unimproved.

The amount of money already invested in the patent and patterns of the Spaulding engine is \$6,000, \$4,000 of which must be paid in cash and \$2,000 in stock in the new company. This price includes \$1,000 worth of engines ready for the market. It was proposed to organize a company with a capital of \$50,000, and buy the Buss machine works for \$25,000, paying \$5,000 down and paying interest on the balance. If \$20,000 in cash could be raised the factory would start in a week's time.

Half a dozen speeches were made by men who have experimented with other gas engines and their verdict was that the Spaulding engine was unequaled. The profits on the engines are all that can be desired and it was said that the gas engine business at the present time is more flourishing than any other branch of manufacturing.

Roman I. Jarvis, who is running one of the engines, in a speech declared that without manufacturing Benton Harbor has reached its growth. He said that he was confident that he could go out and sell an unlimited number of the Spaulding engines.

E. E. Rouse, also running a Spaulding machine, declared it a charm and he hoped that the Buss factory would be utilized in their manufacture. It would fill our empty houses and put idle hands at work.

L. O. Chatfield declared that in Benton Harbor it was cheaper to rent than own a home. If the Buss factory were in operation and good wages paid all this would be different.

Words of encouragement were spoken for the enterprise by C. M. Edick, Mayor Bell, Edward Brammhall and S. F. Snow.

President Miller corrected a false impression. It has been reported that the First National bank of this city and the Grand Rapids bank were going to make some money out of the sale. Mr. Miller assured the meeting that the two banks had put \$30,000 in the plant and in selling for \$25,000 they would lose \$5,000. He also said that unless some steps were taken toward improvement all of the business houses could not live and that he could stand it as long as any one.

A committee consisting of L. O. Chatfield, C. M. Edick and C. J. Brown was appointed to solicit subscriptions.

WILL BE BUILT.

The Street Railroad to Eastman Springs.

Delays which have made sick at heart some of the strongest defenders of the Eastman Springs street railroad will not have the effect of stopping the construction of the road.

The road will be built. A few changes have been made in the original course outside the city limits on account of the obstinacy of some of the property owners. The owners of property who will do nothing will not be troubled with the road along their land. It will be kept as far as possible from all such property.

GETTING READY FOR BUSINESS

Charles Godfrey Has Leased Land of the Railroad Company.

Charles H. Godfrey will operate his canning factory the coming season at the old location.

Last winter Mr. Godfrey sold the land on which the factory is located to the Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus railroad company and it was the condition that he remove the canning factory this spring. Since that time Mr. Godfrey has leased the ground he sold the company and the factory will be located at the old stand the coming season.

The plant is being put in a condition for operation. The firm will can strawberries provided the price drops to 50 cents a case, which is a little more than three cents a quart. The people who sell their berries at the canning factory have no expense for boxes and crates.

EXCURSION TO CHICAGO.

Methodist Ladies Will Give One June 21.

The ladies of the Methodist church have arranged for an excursion to Chicago, via the Graham & Morton line, to be given Monday, June 21, returning the following evening thus giving the entire day in the city for shopping. Don't forget this.

Telephone Notice.

Many people have expressed a desire to subscribe for telephones who have not yet made contracts. To these friends we wish to say that all contracts must be made before June 30 if it is desired that your name appear in the July directory. As we expect to have the directory printed in June, we must have the names in by then.

GRIND OF JUSTICE.

It Will Be Necessary to Hold a Night Session of the Court This Evening.

\$98.77 JUDGMENT FOR WEBER

Other Important Items Gathered About the Temple of Justice Today.

Before morning the circuit court calendar will be cleared of three cases. This morning the jury in the case of Weber vs Hirsch, after being out fifteen minutes brought in a verdict for the plaintiff and awarded him damages in the sum of \$98.77.

This case will be of especial interest to the many fruit growers in this vicinity as nearly every one of them has had nearly the same experience as Mr. Weber in dealing with Chicago commission men.

Mr. Weber, who is a prominent apple grower in Bainbridge, shipped to Mr. Hirsch, a commission man in Chicago, a car load of apples and after waiting nearly a month without hearing from the firm he wrote them a letter and received a reply that the apples were worthless upon their arrival in Chicago. Mr. Weber started the suit in the court to recover pay for his apples and the court held that when Mr. Weber loaded his car with apples he had fulfilled his part of the contract and was entitled to his pay. Gore & Harvey appeared for Mr. Weber.

The following jury was impanelled to sit in the case of the Huber manufacturing company vs Charles W. Moore.

Samuel Versaw, Edgar Weed, William Wising, William Polmanter, John Gleason, David Coates, John Hanover, William Burt, N. C. Emery, Frank Rhoades, James A. Hendrix, Nicholas Dickerman.

The manufacturing company seeks to recover on certain notes issued by Mr. Moore in payment of a threshing machine engine. The case was given to the jury at 2 o'clock this afternoon. N. A. Hamilton appears for the defendant and L. C. Fyfe for the plaintiff.

Thomas Granahan and Thomas Stathers, who will be tried on the charge of horse stealing will be the next case and in order to dispose of the case before tomorrow morning a night session of the court will be held. Attorneys H. W. Davis and Charles N. Sears appear for the defence.

A decree of divorce was granted May Ryan in the circuit court this morning. She sought a separation from her husband, William Ryan, on the grounds of cruelty and non support.

HORSE THIEF CAUGHT.

Sheriff Ferguson Makes a Capture in Stevensville This Morning.

Yesterday afternoon about 2 o'clock a stranger who represented himself to be a commission man applied at Dr. J. C. Cole's livery stable for a horse and carriage saying he wished to take a short trip in the country and would return about 6 o'clock. He procured the rig and that was the last seen of him in this vicinity until this morning when Sheriff Ferguson returned from Stevensville with the rig and the man who gave his name as George Weston.

About 9 o'clock last night the sheriff received a telegram from Officer Grimes of Stevensville stating that they had a suspected horse thief locked up and requested that the sheriff come to that village at once. Mr. Ferguson had not heard of Dr. Cole's loss and did not go until this morning. Upon his arrival there he met Dr. Cole who had been searching for his rig and had it then in his possession.

How the Stevensville officer happened to suspect that the rig was stolen was from the fact that Weston first offered it for sale for \$75 and not finding a buyer dropped to \$15 cash for the horse, harness and carriage.

Man Wanted

To represent the Singer Manufacturing company in and around Benton Harbor to sell Singer sewing machines and collect money. No capital or experience necessary as we furnish machines and learn you how to sell. A good honest bond will be required. For further particulars call on C. D. Keyes, Benton Harbor, or address the Singer Manufacturing company, Grand Rapids, Mich.

We have given John Schairer the agency in Benton Harbor for our Harley Malt Whiskey. Distilled from malted barley it is rich and nutritious, and free from all impurities. For the sake of the health of your family, give it a trial.

The Closing Out Sale

...STILL CONTINUES AT...

C. C. SWEET'S

THE BALANCE OF THIS WEEK I WILL OFFER

A good white unlaundried shirt.....at 29c
Marseilles white bed spreads.....at 69c
Ladies' linen dress skirts.....at \$1.00
Men's handkerchiefs.....at 3c
\$2.50 lace curtains at \$1.75 | \$1.50 lace curtains at 90c
2.00 lace curtains at 1.20 | 1.25 lace curtains at 80c
Sewing Machines.....at \$15.00
Best Lowell extra super Carpets.....47c

This is the 65c novelty.

...TERMS CASH...

C. C. SWEET

131-133-135-137-139 Pipestone St.

E. W. MOORE & CO.

{Are the Bargain Leaders All the Time.}

Our Special Sales every day are public money savers. We have goods and prices to prove it.

Friday, June 11

We will Make Prices on

Ladies' Muslin Underwear

That are without a parallel in this section of the state. You don't need to go to Chicago for this class of goods, we can, and do afford to sell them cheaper than any of the State street houses. Inspection will demonstrate this fact to the satisfaction of all.

We have an immense line, at a great range of prices, we can quote but a few in this space.

Ladies' Muslin Corset Covers, high or low neck, embroidered fronts, all sizes, at 19c. Can you make them for that?

Ladies' full size Muslin Night Gowns, high neck, ruffle collars and cuffs, pleated yokes, at 32c. Can you make them for that?

Ladies' Empire Style Gown, embroidered front, wide cambric ruffled collar and cuffs, worth 75c, today they go at 39c.

Ladies' Muslin Drawers, umbrella style, cambric ruffled, open or closed, choice at 20c a pair.

We have not time to say much about Skirts, we have them nevertheless, and the price will be 32c, and 39c for good ones.

We have a full line of the better goods at prices correspondingly low.

...GROCERY BARGAINS...

Spring Wheat Flour, \$4.00 per bbl.
Fresh Eggs at 9c a doz
XXXX Coffee, 15c.
Colo. Rio Coffee, 2 lbs. for 25c.
5 lbs. Good Rice for 25c.
Micado Tea Tips, 19c a lb.
Crushed Java Coffee at 10c lb.
9 bars Jaxon soap for 25c.
Javaness coffee at 15c pkg
10 bars Calumet soap for 25c.
Bulk Starch, 3c a lb.
Pound can choice Baking Powder, 8c.

Ladies' or Gents' Bicycles at \$29

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THE ENTERPRISE

116 E. Main St. Benton Harbor

Call upon us for DRY GOODS and see if we don't load you up for very little money.

Millinery...Millinery

As it is our custom at this time of year to clean up

the season regardless of cost we make prices for

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This is no Joke...

We have one of the finest and most complete lines of

Ladies' Fine Stationery

In Benton Harbor and for the next 10 days will sell the same at reduced prices.

Our Ice Cream Soda

is the talk of the town.

Why?

Because we serve it correctly and use nothing but the celebrated and world famous

Reid's Ice Cream

DELL FERRY

HE WON THE OTHER JURORS
OVER TO HIS OPINION.

Verdict in an Italian Homicide Case
Which Astonished the Court and Law-
yers in New York—Convincing "Kill or
Be Killed" Logic.

It was known as the murder of the
"man of the turkey," said Assistant Dis-
trict Attorney Hal Bell, who handles
all the Italian homicide cases in the
criminal courts. "The murdered man
was Nuccio Iallaz, and he was stabbed
to death on the afternoon of Nov. 26,
1897. The man who killed him was
Genneppe Ladiere. I put Ladiere on
trial in the criminal branch of the su-
preme court. The indictment charged
him with murder in the first degree.
The counsel, Lawyer Palmieri, offered
to enter a plea of guilty to manslaughter
in the first degree, but the plea was
not accepted, as it seemed an easy mat-
ter to convict the defendant. There was
no denial of the fact that Ladiere
killed Iallaz to death with a knife 15
inches long.

After the jury had been sworn
I learned that one of them, a big, hand-
some fellow, was a Texan. When I
found this out, I became satisfied that I
would have a hard job getting a convic-
tion; for when you get a full fledged,
raw Texan on a jury in a murder trial
he'll simply decide the case according
to his own judgment, regardless of law.
He has only to be convinced as to
whether the murdered man ought to
have been killed. The actual crime has
nothing to do with the case. The Texan
has his own ideas about such matters,
and, knowing this, I was sorry to think
I had a full fledged, raw Texan on the
jury trying Ladiere.

"The story that the jury got from the
witnesses was that Ladiere met Iallaz
on One Hundred and Fifty-second
street; that the men had a wordy quar-
rel; that Ladiere slapped the face of
Iallaz; that Iallaz drew a big knife
from his belt, and then ensued a scuffle,
the knife falling to the sidewalk; that
both men fought to get it, and that La-
diere, being the quicker of the two,
got hold of the knife and plunged it in-
to Iallaz, who died from the effects of
the stabbing. These were the undis-
puted facts that were given to the jury,
and we all believed that Ladiere would
be convicted of at least manslaughter.
But the jury promptly acquitted the
man after Ladiere showed them on the
witness stand the way in which he did
the killing.

"Defendant's counsel, Lawyer Palm-
ieri, was greatly surprised at the ver-
dict. Justice Giegerich was unable to
understand such action on the jury's
part. But I believed I knew the secret of
it all, and to satisfy myself I began a
quiet investigation, which has resulted
in my learning that I was right in my
first belief. The handsome man from
Texas just gave the other jurymen to
understand that he was there. He was
not to be bullied. He was not to be out-
voted either. If the jurymen wouldn't
listen to the way they settled trifling
cutting scrapes in Texas, he would see
about it; see to it that they would.
Plunging a knife into a man's heart—
that was nothing. The question to be
decided was, did the deceased deserve
the plunge? According to the Texan,
he did, or the live man wouldn't be
alive. If Ladiere had not killed Iallaz,
probably Iallaz might have killed La-
diere. This was a case, the Texan ar-
gued, where quickness won the battle,
and quickness should be rewarded, not
condemned. Ladiere simply got in first
stab, argued the man from Texas, and
he ought to be complimented on his
stabbing speed.

"There were two little men on that
jury and they believed the verdict
should be murder in the first degree.
The Texan just roared at them, and
they slunk away to a corner of the
room. The other jurors backed away
toward the wall. The big Texan then
made a speech, telling the jurors how
they ran things 'down in my state,'
and the other 11 jurors stood open
mouthed, gazing in wonderment. He
recalled shooting bees, and stabbing
parties, and hanging poodles, and gave
graphic illustrations of how 'Sim Gar-
ner out th' damned gizzard out'n Budd
Allen, when Budd just said he'd make
Sim eat th' dust.'

"Then he asked if there 'war enny
man in th' room who'd be man enough
to say this were a lie.' But there wasn't
a man there who didn't believe it, and
the Texan said, 'Come, boys, th' ver-
dict's not guilty.' Then they all got in
line, filed into the courtroom, and the
clerk recorded the verdict. Eight of the
jurors were pale faced when they came
in. The faces of three were very red.
The twelfth man was the Texan. His
face appeared normal, and as he warm-
ly grasped the hand of the man who did
the deed he remarked:

"Yer did right, pard. I'd er did it
meeself if I war thar."
"Now," said Mr. Bell, "you wouldn't
believe such a thing could happen in
great New York, but it did, and La-
diere is back home in Morrisania now."
—New York Sun.

Knights of St. Lazarus.
At a very early period in the history
of the Christian church a special order
of knighthood was instituted, having
for its object the care and supervision
of all those afflicted with leprosy of ev-
ery nationality, and, as its headquarters
had originally been located in the vicin-
ity of Jerusalem, the order was gener-
ally designated Knights of St. Lazarus,
or of St. Lazarus and St. Mary of Jeru-
salem.

A Frenchman's story about the

Follow the Indian Alchemists' Methods
and You'll Be Rich.

For a long time in India the appar-
ent transmutation of tin, zinc, copper
and mercury into precious metals has
been practiced. We have seen there
with our own eyes a metal like gold is-
suing from the crucible of the Indian
alchemists—a metal that could not be
told from real gold by means of the
touchstone. We may say, however, that
in old India, as well as in young Amer-
ica, they have not yet succeeded in giv-
ing to the metal thus obtained the chem-
ical properties of gold. On this point
they are not more advanced in the one
country than in the other, and the prob-
lem seems to us not to be near solution.
The metal obtained can, in fact, be de-
composed into its constituent elements.
Nevertheless, it may be interesting to
present to public notice the Indian al-
chemists and to describe their methods.
Around these personages many legends
have sprung up. The people assert that
they never come into a city except by
divine inspiration in order to cure ill-
ness and to enrich certain persons.
There is a belief among the Hindoos,
very widespread, but purely fabulous,
that they disappear at certain hours
to rejoin the citters—divine naturalists
of the early ages of India, who, accord-
ing to Hindoo tradition, meet with
their divinity, Hari Jahari, on the sum-
mits of the Himalayas, to learn the se-
crets of nature.

The following is the method employ-
ed by these Indian alchemists to make
their gold. We give literally, conform-
ing to the weights and measures in use
in India, the list of substances necessary
for this delicate operation. These are,
according to our documents:

Sulphur of Nelli-Kai (Phylanthus
lemblich), 24 rupees weight (7 ounces).
White seeds of Abura precatorius, 9 ru-
pees weight (2½ ounces).

One whole garlic.
Cinnabar, 6 rupees weight (2 ounces).
English orpiment, 6 rupees weight.

Sal ammoniac, 6 rupees weight.
These are powdered separately, and
then a paste is made of the whole, with
three quarts of "paddy" made of the
milky juice of Asclepias gigantea. The
whole is ground up with this milk.
Then little hard balls are made of the
mixture, and finally two suttis are taken
of fine, hard earthenware, of such size
that the material to be distilled occu-
pies only one-third or one-fourth of the
vessel. On the lower vessel another sat-
ti is soldered with potter's earth, after
an opening has been made in the end of
this second vase. Over this hole is fit-
ted a bottle whose end is pierced, and
it is carefully sealed to the vase. Into
the lower vase are put the little balls
described above, and the whole is then
sealed up.

The powder, when vaporized, rises
along the sides of the bottle and con-
denses around the hole. It is collected
with a feather. Then zinc is taken. For
each rupee's weight of zinc is allowed
a quantity of the powder as large as
two or three rice grains. The zinc and
the powder are wrapped up together in
a bit of paper or linen or a leaf. The
whole is put into a crucible, which is
then sealed with a paste composed of
one part of cow dung, one of charcoal
and one of potter's earth. This is
placed on a fire of wood charcoal and
heated white hot, after which it is al-
lowed to cool. Open the crucible—you
are a rich man.—Paris Cosmos.

Gadding an Irish Salmon.

Mickle, gaff in hand, was hopping
around behind me, more like a wild In-
dian with a tomahawk than an experi-
enced Irish water bailiff about to im-
pale a salmon. Sport, too, joined in the
infectious excitement and jumped at
my feet and barked at every splash that
the big fish made. Down along the river
bank the cute old bailiff glided and
crept out behind a projecting rock. Once
I almost coaxed him within striking
distance of the one eyed gaffer, but
Mickle prided himself on his skill and
feared to run the risk of missing his
stroke. Off again dashed the fish across
the pool, as if warned by instinct of the
unseen danger, and it was fully ten
minutes ere I had him played back to
the proper point.

Then, like a lightning flash, the cold
steel impaled him, and the great, quiv-
ering body was triumphantly lifted on
the gaff by the exultant bailiff, show-
ing a fish as beautiful as was ever land-
ed. The sheen of his scales and the
small sea lice still clinging to him
showed that he had only just come up
from the salt water. It had taken me
exactly 46 minutes from the moment
he was hooked till he lay on the bank,
and he weighed 28 pounds by my pocket
scales.

The "thunder and lightning" fly was
carefully extracted from his gullet, for
it had gone down deep, and the bailiff
smiled in appreciation of the remarks
on his good judgment of water, weath-
er and flies which I felt in duty bound
to make. I had time for only a short
rest in the shade after my exciting ex-
perience, when splash! splash! in front
invited me to the sport again.—Sports-
man's Magazine.

Chinese Sweets.

The Chinese are said to possess se-
crets in the preparation of sweets that
astonish our most accomplished confection-
ers. They know how to remove the
pulp from oranges and substitute vari-
ous jellies. The closest examination
fails to reveal any opening or incision
in the skin of the fruit. They perform
the same feat with eggs. The shells are
apparently as intact as when the eggs
were newly laid, but upon breaking and
opening them the contents consist of
nuts and sweetmeats.—New York Sun.

Chinese Sweets.

RAILROADS
AND STEAMBOATS.

Schedule of Time and Excursion Rates.

Excursion Rates How Trains Run

THE BIG FOUR.

Account of the Junior Order United Am-
erican Mechanics National Council,
Pittsburg, Pa., June 15 to 19, '97.

For the above occasion the Big Four
will sell round trip excursion tickets at
one lowest first class one way fare,
tickets on sale June 12, 13 and 14,
1897. Final return limit June 21, 1897.

Account of Young People's Christian
Union, Universalist Church, Detroit,
Mich., July 6 to 18, '97.

The Big Four Railroad Co. will sell
round trip excursion tickets at one first
class one way fare. Tickets on sale
July 5 and 6, 1897. Final return limit
July 14.

31st National Encampment, G. A. R.]

The "Big Four Route" is well known to
the "Boys in Blue" and is their
favorite route to all National Encamp-
ments. The Very Low Rate of One
Cent per Mile each way will be in
effect on all parts of its system and the
superior through train service to Buf-
falo from Peoria, St. Louis, Louisville
Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Dayton,
Springfield, Columbus and intermediate
points, via Cleveland, or via Toledo and
Detroit, has placed the "Big Four" in
the lead. Full information will be
cheerfully given by any agent upon ap-
plication.

Tennessee Centennial.

The great southern exposition has
created great interest throughout the
country and applications are being
made as to the best route to reach this
great southern city. The "Big Four"
has the best line from the east with
through train service to Cincinnati
from New York, Boston, Buffalo, Cleve-
land and Columbus; from Detroit, To-
ledo and Sandusky to Cincinnati; and
from Chicago and Benton Harbor to
Cincinnati and Louisville. Direct con-
nections are made with the Q. & C.
route and the L. & N. Ry. Full infor-
mation will be cheerfully given upon
application.

Epworth League Convention.

The "Big Four Route" will name
special low rates for this convention
and calls attention to superiority of its
line from St. Louis, Peoria, Indianap-
olis, Cincinnati, Dayton, Springfield,
Columbus, via Cleveland, Buffalo and
Niagara Falls to Toronto, or via Toledo
and Detroit. Apply for full particu-
lars.

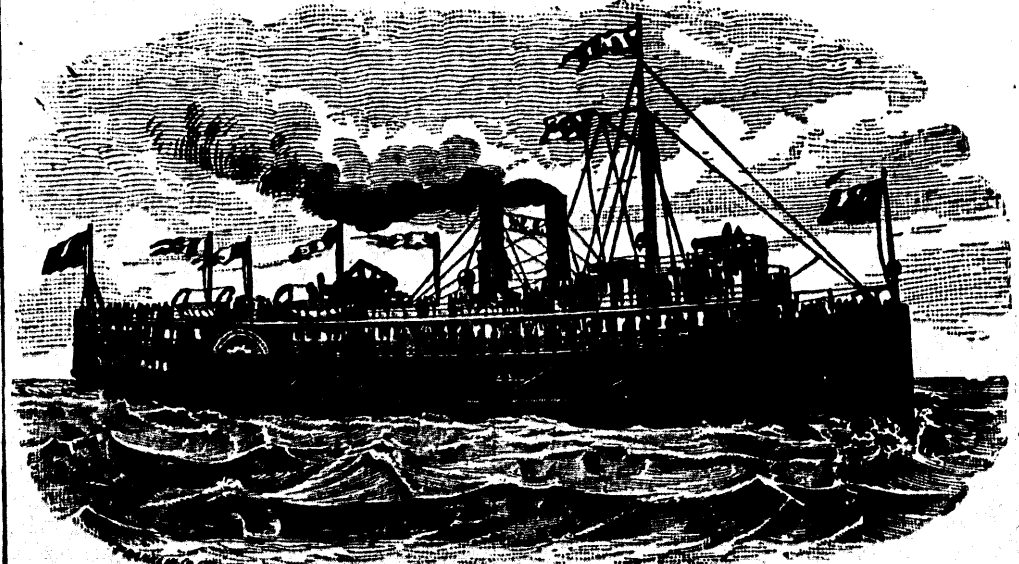
For the Baptist Young People's
Union of America to its annual con-
vention "The Big Four Route" will name
rate of one fare for round trip from all
points on its system. From the east
through trains run to Cincinnati, mak-
ing direct connection with the Q. & C.
route and the L. & N. Ry. in Central
Union depot. From the north a choice
of routes is offered via Cincinnati or
Louisville. For rates, routes, and full
information call on any representative
of the Big Four route.

Account of the annual convention of
the Young People's Christian Union at
Indianapolis, Ind., August 18 to 23,
1897. The Big Four railway company
will sell round trip excursion tickets at
one lowest first class one way fare.
Tickets on sale August 17 to 18. Final
return limit August 24.

Account of the national republican
league of United States at Detroit,
Mich. The Big Four railway company
will sell round trip tickets at one low-
est first class fare. Tickets on sale
July 12 and 13. Final return limit
July 16.

Account of the German Epworth
League, M. E. church, convention to
be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, July 22 to
25, 1897, the Big Four will sell round
trip excursion tickets at one lowest
first class fare. Tickets on sale July 21
and 22. Final return limit July 26.
L. G. SMITH, Agent

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANSPORTATION CO.



STEAMER LINES FROM
Benton Harbor and St. Joseph to Chicago and Milwaukee.

The steel side wheel steamers, "CITY OF CHICAGO" and "CITY OF MILWAU-
KEE," the new propeller "CITY OF LOUISVILLE" and the
Steamer "FRANK WOODS."
Beginning May 30 and until further notice the following schedule will be observed
on the Chicago Division:

Leave Benton Harbor	Leave St. Joseph	Arrive Chicago	Leave Chicago	Arrive St. Joseph	Arrive Benton Harbor
1:00 a. m. daily except Sunday and holidays	4:30 p. m. daily except Sunday and holidays	8:30 p. m. daily except Sunday and holidays	9:30 a. m. daily except Sunday and holidays	12:30 p. m. daily except Sunday and holidays	5:30 p. m. daily except Sunday and holidays

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third the circulation.

WEST MICHIGAN.

CHICAGO & WEST MICHIGAN RAILWAY
In effect Sept. 27, 1897.

Going South	Stations	Going North
8:30 a. m.	Grand Rapids	10:30 a. m.
11:30 a. m.	Benton Harbor	1:30 p. m.
2:30 p. m.	St. Joseph	4:30 p. m.
5:30 p. m.	Chicago	7:30 p. m.

Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and
Detroit at 7:00 a. m., 1:30 p. m. and 5:30 p. m.
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9:17 p. m.	Baroda	11:03 a. m.
8:56 p. m.	Gallen	11:23 a. m.
8:30 p. m.	South Bend	12:05 p. m.
7:32 p. m.	Plymouth	12:55 p. m.
6:05 p. m.	Logansport	2:18 p. m.
a. m.	Terre Haute	6:30 p. m.
7:10 a. m.	Indianapolis	5:45 p. m.
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THE ENTERPRISE PUBLICATION

Said to Have Irritated the President, Got Calhoun into Trouble and Given Our Case Away to Spain—Suspicion Not Pointing to Any One So Far, but Somebody Has Betrayed a Trust, It Would Seem—Work in the Senate.

Washington, June 10.—Special Counsel Calhoun went to see the president yesterday to report what he saw in Cuba. It is asserted that the special counsel complains that he was betrayed by the New York newspaper men and that his treatment at the White House was lacking in some of the elements of cordiality that would have made his visit there one of unalloyed pleasure. He found the president irritated over the premature publication of Consul General Lee's report on the Ruiz case and over the newspaper interviews with himself (Calhoun). The judge protested that he had not talked to the press and that he had been shamefully lied about. He intimated that after he had "turned down" the reporters they had wickedly caused on him and put language into his mouth he had never uttered.

Will Wait on the President's Return. Calhoun next paid a visit to the state department with Fishback and was in consultation with Assistant Secretary Day for about an hour and a half, during which time the assistant secretary denied himself to all callers. The Lee report upon the Ruiz case which has attracted so much attention was brought to the department by Fishback and delivered to Judge Day, who first saw the original just twenty-four hours after it had been brought to his attention in the press. The assistant secretary said that he was not prepared to say that the printed publication was inaccurate, which in diplomatic parlance is about as far as a state department official can go towards confirming a statement. The report itself was thoroughly discussed by the three officials. All that could be gathered from them as to the future action of the department in the matter was that the matter would be held in abeyance until the return of President McKinley from his Nashville trip.

Two Reports on the Ruiz Case. It was learned yesterday afternoon that the department of state is in possession of two distinct reports bearing upon the Ruiz case. They were brought to Washington by Fishback, the secretary to Calhoun, and handed to Assistant Secretary Day. One of these reports was made by Consul General Lee and has been fully set out in the newspapers. The other report, really the original, was a joint production signed by Consul General Lee and by Congosta, the Spanish consul at Philadelphia, who with General Lee constituted a special commission to investigate the conditions surrounding the death of Ruiz. In this report the two commissioners went as far as they could together, which necessarily confined them to a mere statement of the facts that are not subject to controversy.

Prolonged Negotiations Likely. Failing to agree upon a statement of the causes which led to Ruiz' death the commissioners signed the document at this point, and then by mutual agreement made what may be described as supplemental reports to their own governments in which they set out statements that they could not agree to include in the original report. The published report of General Lee was one of these supplemental reports, and it is probable that the Spanish government has one intended to controvert it made by Dr. Congosta. With all of this literature on the subject in possession of the two governments the possibilities of prolonged negotiations are promising.

Gives Our Case to the Enemy. After his conference with Assistant Secretary Day Calhoun decided to delay his departure from Washington. This will afford time for further discussion between the assistant secretary and the special counsel concerning Cuban affairs. The publication of the Lee report in advance of the reception at the state department has given much annoyance to the officials and probably will be made the subject of a quiet inquiry, inasmuch as it is believed that the position of our government in the negotiations that are sure to follow with Spain is weakened by thus putting its case in possession of the other side.

SOMEBODY BETRAYS A TRUST.

Fishback Disclaims Having Aught to Do with That "Enterprise."

A dispatch from New York gives an interview with Private Secretary Fishback regarding the work of Lee and Calhoun in Cuba. He said: "General Lee's personal report needs no comment. I would like to say, however, that I had absolutely nothing to do with its premature publication. The statement that the report was given into my personal charge, although true, might lead to some misapprehension as to my connection with this matter. The fact is that General Lee read his report to Mr. Calhoun and myself on June 2 in Havana, and then sealed it up with the consulate seal. That seal was broken for the first time today by Judge Day. I had no copy of the report; therefore it would have been impossible for me to furnish an exact transcription.

"Mr. Calhoun's report practically embodies the same conclusions as those in General Lee's personal report. It could not do otherwise after an impartial review of the case. Mr. Calhoun's conversation with President McKinley was confined almost entirely to verbal explanations of the Ruiz matter. Mr. Calhoun will return to Washington next week and then will thoroughly discuss the general condition of Cuba with the president."

ORATORS BOUND TO ORATE.

Another Day of Speech-Making Uses Up the Time of the Senate.

Washington, June 10.—The senate had a period of tariff speeches yesterday and as a result little progress was made on the bill. Rawlins of Utah and Mills of Texas discussed the Democratic attitude on the tariff from their respective standpoints. Rawlins was a member of the platform committee of the Chicago convention, and proposed the tariff plank which was adopted. He held that the tariff was a sacred trust.

He indirectly criticized those Democratic senators who voted for the amendments to the bill putting a tax on cotton and other articles, contending that their course was a radical departure from the tenets of Democracy. Later in the day Cannon of Utah proposed an amendment placing an export bounty on agricultural products. He spoke for two hours on the need of giving the farmer a share of the benefits of the tariff. Butler of North Carolina also spoke in favor of giving the farmer equal benefits with other classes under the bill. Only half a page of the bill, covering four brief and comparatively unimportant paragraphs, was disposed of during the day. The session will begin at 11 a. m. today.

The Republican members of the finance committee will withdraw the amendments for an additional tax on beer and for the duty of 10 cents a pound on tea. In explanation of this a member of the finance committee said that the pressure for the withdrawal of the amendments had been very great and that many Republican senators had made decided stands against them. The formal action of the committee on the subject has not been taken, but the determination has been reached. The members of the committee are still in doubt as to what shall be done with increases on tobacco in the internal revenue part of the bill, but there has been great pressure to have these taxes reduced.

The question of revenue is giving the committee considerable concern, and if there should be a withdrawal of the increases on tobacco as well as those on beer and tea the bill would not meet the needs of the government as a revenue producer. For this reason it has been practically determined to make a bank check stamp tax, and the question of additional revenue by means of a system of stamp taxes on beer has been under consideration. The committee is considering these questions and endeavoring to meet them as it proceeds.

Confirmed by the Senate.

Washington, June 10.—The senate yesterday confirmed the following nominations: Henry L. Wilson, of Washington, minister to Chile; John G. A. Leishman, of Pennsylvania, minister to Switzerland; Lawrence Townsend, of Pennsylvania, minister to Portugal; Andrew D. Barlow, of Missouri, consul general at the city of Mexico. The first two in the foregoing were only nominated by the president yesterday.

Why Angell Does Not Sail for Turkey.

Washington, June 10.—Dr. Angell will be obliged to cancel his engagement to sail for Europe tomorrow. Up to this time the Turkish government has not returned an opinion as to whether the explanations offered as to the record of the minister are satisfactory to it, and it is not deemed wise to make an issue by allowing Angell to proceed to his post at Constantinople until it is known positively that he will be persona grata.

UNCLE SAM IS DOMINANT.

His Agents, Acting by Authority, Are Not Subject to State Courts.

Fort Dodge, Ia., June 10.—Judge Shiras decided yesterday in the United States court that an agent of the government acting within the scope of his authority is not within the jurisdiction of the state courts. The decision was made in the case of the state of Iowa vs. ex-Pension Examiner Waite, who was tried in the state court and convicted on the charge of intimidating witnesses to secure evidence which convicted and landed Van Leuven in the penitentiary.

On an appeal by United States District Attorney Sells to the state supreme court the decision of the lower court was affirmed, whereupon Attorney Sells had Waite surrender to the state authorities, secured a writ of habeas corpus from Judge Shiras, and the decision resulted which discharged Waite. Judge Lochren, ex-pension commissioner, was here and testified that Waite acted under instructions from him, and this testimony showed conclusively that Waite was acting as an agent of the government with full authority.

Scores on the Ball Field.

Chicago, June 10.—League scores at base ball yesterday were: At Baltimore—Cleveland 6, Baltimore 11; at Washington—St. Louis 0, Washington 6; elsewhere—Rain.

Western League: At Grand Rapids—Minneapolis 11, Grand Rapids 10; at Indianapolis—Milwaukee 3, Indianapolis 10; at Columbus—Kansas City 5, Columbus 13; at Detroit—St. Paul 8, Detroit 1.

Western Association: At St. Joseph—Burlington 4, St. Joseph 7; at Peoria—Dubuque 5, Peoria 10; at Des Moines and Cedar Rapids—Wet grounds.

Lost Child Was Found.

Norway, Mich., June 10.—The 4-year-old daughter of August Johnson went to the farm with its father, but strayed away and was lost. Mining and other business was stopped and men and boys were out all night searching for the child. The girl was found at 10 o'clock next morning at an abandoned brickyard alive and well. The night was very chilly.

Purdue University Commencement.

Lafayette, Ind., June 10.—One hundred and thirteen degrees were conferred at the twenty-fourth annual commencement of Purdue university yesterday. The graduates heard an address by Rev. Jenkins Lloyd Jones, of Chicago. The degrees were given by Dr. James H. Smart, president of the university. Governor Mount was an attendant upon the exercises.

Receiver for a Wheel Company.

Terre Haute, Ind., June 10.—The Whitley Malleable Casting company, of Muncie, Ind., has asked for a receiver for the Terre Haute Manufacturing company, which manufactures the Schluer separable tandem bicycle, alleging that the company owes over \$60,000. Judge Piety issued a restraining order pending the hearing for a receiver.

Assessed Banker Acquitted.

Bloux City, Ia., June 10.—On motion of the prosecution the indictments for fraudulent banking against President Oldfield, of the bankrupt Commercial Savings bank, of this place, were dismissed. He was not in active charge of the institution, and the court held he could not be criminally responsible for the alleged mismanagement.

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Figuring the machinists at \$4,000, the \$100 men at \$3,000, the \$20 men at \$2,000, and the \$10 men at \$1,000 the \$10,000 would be raised.

It took no great effort to secure \$5,000 in subscriptions for the Eastman Springs street railroad which only develops a small portion of the city, and it ought to be easier to raise \$10,000 for the developing of a factory which would at the least calculation pay \$10,000 per month in wages.

If \$10,000 could be raised by small subscriptions the large subscriptions would bring the amount up to a sufficient figure to start and operate the factory.

It is not impossible to start the Buss machine works even in these dull times.

JUNE 14 is flag day, annually observed in the large cities, but scarcely thought of or heard of in the country. The object of the day is to instill patriotic thoughts and sentiments in the young, and the decoration of buildings and stores with flags no doubt has the desired effect. The Michigan society of the Sons of the American Revolution will probably call upon Mayor Bell to issue a proclamation in regard to the local observance of the day.

If Benton Harbor starts the Buss works as proposed no longer will the question be asked here: "Prosperity, where art thou?"

ONE Chicago commission man at least knows that it is unprofitable business to let a consignment of apples rot in his bins.

If every citizen would do his share the starting of the Buss factory or any other enterprise would become a tax on no one.

Buss or bust is a good motto just now.

NEWS OF THE STATE.

Delegates from Olivet, Hope, Kalamazoo, Agricultural, Normal and Hillsdale colleges met at Hillsdale and decided to organize a state oratorical league. The first contest will be held in May, 1898.

It is thought that Dr. Angell of the University of Michigan and minister-elect to Turkey, may remain in Ann Arbor to finish up the year's work, instead of sailing immediately for Turkey.

The council at Niles passed an ordinance imposing a license of \$10 per day on all transient merchants, on pain of \$100 fine or 60 days in jail. They also decided to pave the principal streets.

The story is going the rounds that on a recent tour of inspection over the C. & W. M., General Manager Heald had the train stopped, because just ahead sat a big black bear between the tracks, leisurely licking his paws. Impromptu hunting parties were organized and the bear appeared to be doomed, till a rope was pulled from the bushes, and a tame bear returned to the arms of his Italian organ-grinding master.

Harry Marsh, the Dowagiac rider, took first money at the Charlotte races. A proposition is being discussed to connect Lansing, Jackson, Battle Creek and Kalamazoo with a trolley line.

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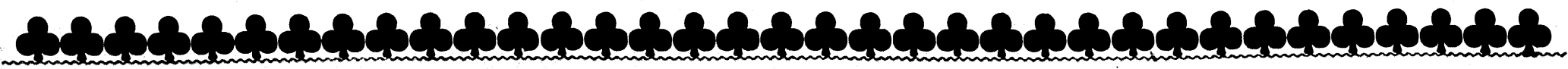
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SUITS \$15 AND UP PANTS \$4 UP.

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Pro Patria, a gentleman's smoke, 10 cigars for 50c. Beware of imitations. See that your cigar is stamped Pro Patria. Geo. Moebis & Co., manufacturers, Detroit.

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Use Dr. Haas' hog remedy for hogs and poultry. Satisfaction guaranteed. For sale at Dr. Fabry's drugstore, 110 Water street.

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George F. Grant, Coloma, sells the Katie Putnam cigar. 502126

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Madam J. DeCarter does hairdressing, shampooing, manicuring and facial massage. No extra charge for going to the house. Switches made to order. Call at Chadwick & Rehm's. 495126

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Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by G. M. Bell & Co., 103 Main street, Drugist, Benton Harbor, Mich.

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Smoke Columbia 5 cent cigar.

"The Lake View" Lake Maxinkuckee.

This hotel reopens on strictly first class basis, June 7. New management, improved service, appointments thoroughly modern. Accommodations will be reserved upon application to J. B. Schofield, manager, Lake View hotel, Culver, Ind.

Nate Gifford for fine rugs.

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Ask for Columbia 5 cent cigar.

Have You Thought?

Did you ever stop and think of the advantage you have by buying your boots and shoes of Joseph Frick? He carries a complete line of shoes, every pair is new and up to date and the prices he sells them for makes every day a bargain day at his store. He makes the exchanging of goods or the refunding of money as pleasant as the buying of them. Give me a call, you cannot buy without looking, but you are free to look without buying. We do shoe repairing neatly and promptly.

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Fresh Taffies every day. Opera Caramels and other Caramels that will suit you. We make all our Candies in the basement.

Home Made Bake Goods

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WHEN YOU BUY

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Remember that to have the flavor and goodness you should have them **FRESH...**

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

THE board of public works will meet this evening.

THE city bastille last night gave shelter to a tramp who was 60 years old.

BARNUM & Bailey's greatest show on earth will exhibit in Benton Harbor August 1.

THE Fairplain band played on the streets last evening for the benefit of the Firemen's excursion.

ATTORNEY W. C. Hicks is having his office over the Excelsior clothing store newly painted and papered.

THE new telephone company will employ two girls in the Central office here and two in St. Joseph.

CONN'S Trumpet Notes band of Elkhart is arranging and advertising an excursion to this city in the near future.

A MEETING of the board of directors of the Alger Guards will be held in Justice Graves' office tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

REV. H. Burton has purchased a lot of M. Emerson on the east side of Pipestone street near Clay and is preparing to erect a new residence.

A GRAND Rapids berry buyer proved of good service to the growers last night. He ran up the price of berries from 85 cents to \$1.05 per crate.

DR. Gifford the successful chiropodist who has opened an office in the Morton block is meeting with good success. See his announcement in another column.

THE Alger Guards met for drill last night. It is remarkable to what a degree of perfection the boys have attained in the short time they have been drilling.

It was Mrs. E. Johnson's new residence on Brunson avenue instead of A. A. Johnson's residence on Pipestone street that B. L. Hall has the plumbing contract for.

THE City of Louisville carried fully 200 Benton Harbor people and nearly that many from St. Joseph to Milwaukee last night the event being the annual firemen's excursion to that city.

THE Phoenix accident and sick benefit association is growing in membership every day. The members of the company are confident that this company will grow into one of the leading industries of the city.

SEVERAL people who intended to go on the firemen's excursion to Milwaukee last night changed their minds when they found out that the City of Louisville instead of the City of Chicago was going to make the trip.

WILL Benton Harbor celebrate the Fourth of July, is a question one business man is asking another every day. It certainly will not unless Jake Simon and a few hustlers buckle into the work and then look out for a rouser.

THE ladies of Benton Center have purchased a half acre of ground on the corner of Highland and Lincoln avenues, three miles from the city, on which will be built a church. The land was purchased of Mr. Higbee for \$10.

ATTORNEY Sears is making an effort to have Sam Livingston and Alex. McDonald, the men who assaulted the Big Four fireman, tried in the circuit court this month. The attorney thinks it is not right to let his clients remain in jail until next October, guilty or not guilty.

FRAZELL's military band, of 24 pieces, will give the first open air concert of the summer on the streets next Friday evening. This organization has spent the entire winter in hard practice and have obtained a degree of perfection which only comes with hard study and practice.

MUNZ Anderson, a swede employed on the St. Joseph valley railway drove to town yesterday after supplies but during his stay here he filled up too much on fire water and as a consequence found lodgings in the city jail. This morning he was taken before Justice Cady who fined him \$2.50 and costs which he paid.

EDWARD Eggleston, of Chicago, is in the city today on business connected with the Standard Oil company. Mr. Eggleston expects to become a resident of this city and to start a first class oil and gasoline delivery service for both cities. His ideas are metropolitan and having had years of experience he will no doubt give excellent service.

CLYDE Suydam, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Suydam, residing at 152 Gates avenue celebrated his thirteenth birthday yesterday afternoon by entertaining twenty-six of his young friends and playmates. Dainty refreshments consisting of cakes, fruits and bonbons were served the little folks. Before the company dispersed master Clyde was presented with many pretty tokens of friendship and esteem.

THE Vandalia railroad from St. Joseph to Galien is literally alive with "Wandering Willies" who claim to be looking for berry picking, but who gain a living begging from one farm house to another. It is estimated that not less than 200 tramps camp on the banks of the St. Joseph river every night. As long as this class of citizens remain on the other side of the river they need have no fear of Mayor Bell's stone pile.

SAM C. Brown has introduced in his barber shop a battery with which he gives electric shampoos. The current is secured from what is known as a dry battery and by a little switch power can be turned on almost any strength. The electric shampoo is said to be a sure remedy for dandruff and all dis-

—W. S. Moore of Watson is in town today.

—Frank Flood of Chicago is in the city on business.

—Miss Myrtle Warren is visiting at her old home in Charlotte.

—Mrs. C. D. Stuart of Grand Rapids is the guest of friends here.

—Mrs. James Murray is visiting relatives and friends in Muskegon.

—Mrs. Ida Parks returned this morning from a trip to Grand Rapids.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Morrill were passengers to Chicago last night.

—Alderman McDonald returned home from Chicago this morning.

—Miss Lottie Gibson of Chicago is the guest of relatives and friends here.

—Mrs. F. W. Spencer of Eau Claire Wisconsin, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Rounds.

—F. M. Van Horn is working Three Oaks in the interest of the Phoenix accident association.

—Mrs. C. M. Liscombe of Charlevoix is visiting her sister Mrs. Charles Babcock, Cherry street.

—Mrs. Myron Hinkley and three children left this morning for Alanson, Mich., where Mr. Hinkley runs a large establishment manufacturing cheese boxes. They will be away all summer.

—Mrs. R. B. Foresman has returned to the home of her father, W. R. Kennedy after several weeks visit with relatives in Indiana. She expects to leave for her home in Boise City, Idaho, in the near future.

—Mrs. George R. Wright and family will leave this evening with their household goods for Chicago where they will reside in the future. George, son of Mrs. Wright has an excellent position with Browning, King & Co.

—Dr. Antisdale returned today from Philadelphia where he attended the annual meeting of the American Medical association. This assemblage of 1800 progressive physicians and surgeons in a city noted for its hospitals and medical schools furnished a rare opportunity for advancement in medical science.

PROTECT YOURSELF against sickness and suffering by keeping your blood rich and pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Weak, thin, impure blood is sure to result in disease.

HOOD'S PILLS are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

TELEPHONE COMPANY.

The New Telephone Company Has Put Wires Over the River.

The construction gang of the Twin City telephone company this morning ran the wires across the St. Joseph river which will connect the two cities. Matters are so far advanced that it would be possible to open telephone communication tonight between the two cities over the new line.

There is no longer any doubt about the construction being finished by the first of July. The only difficulty likely to be experienced is that it may not be possible to get all the telephones here by that time. There are so many new lines starting up that the telephone factories are being rushed to supply the demand.

OUR STRAWBERRIES.

They Are Supplying Northern Michigan Markets.

MUSKEGON, June 10.—Strawberries from St. Joseph and Benton Harbor are now supplying the needs of consumers hereabout. The American express company here handled 100 cases yesterday and looks for three times as many today. They are of fine size and flavor, superior to the berries hitherto coming here from other states.

The Michigan berries are retailing here at 10 cents per box, while those from Illinois and beyond bring but eight or nine cents.

The crop in this country bids fair to be very large, and as the berries are ripening slowly under the influence of cool weather they will be plump and juicy, with the flavor perfected by these conditions. The crop will begin to come in now in about ten days or so.

Van Twiller—Van Twiller.

Ladies Hair Dressing.

Mrs. Lottie Hurlbut desires us to state that she has made an addition to her business in the treatment of the scalp and electric shampoo which is one of the finest treatments ever given for dandruff and falling out of the hair.

June 10 Mrs. Hurlbut will open bath rooms for the ladies where they can enjoy the luxury of an electric or plain bath. Attendant if desired. Every lady calling this week will get a sample cake of Toujours Jeune. 52016

Which is the best cigar? Van Twiller.

We connect gas stoves free of charge. Call and see the different styles we have connected for display, prices ranging from \$6.00 to \$25.00. Excelsior Gas Co 1511

Van Twiller's at Bird's drug store.

Have you tried Moebis' Pro Patria cigars? Worth 10c, sold for 5c. Stamped Pro Patria. A cool, sweet, satisfying smoke. George Moebis & Co., manufacturers, Detroit.

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Fine dimity mulls, lace mulls, India cambric, organ-dies and C. & C. shirt waists, with detached collars and cuffs, at \$1.29, 1.39, 1.49, 1.69, 1.89, 2.00
200 ladies ready made wrappers.
at 50c, 69c, 75c, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.39, 1.50

The above bargains are to be had by calling at the

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J. O. VAN HORN

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Monday Evening, June 7th

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BEEN ACTING AS AN ARBITRATOR

In Opposition to the Interstate Commerce
Statutes Made and Provided —Made
Awards of Percentages of Business To
Be Done by Roads in a Foot-Past Day
Up by the Commission While Investi-
gating a Case at Chicago.

Chicago, June 10. — Sworn evidence
was presented to the interstate com-
merce commission yesterday morning
to the effect that Garret A. Hobart,
vice president of the United States,
figured in a direct "infraction of the
federal law. It was shown that he was
one of the three men who prepared a
pooling agreement between roads run-
ning east from Chicago. This was en-
forced, according to one of the members
of the commission, in absolute violation
of the interstate commerce law. The
agreement was read to the commission
by J. L. Clark, general western freight
agent of the Lake Shore and Michigan
Southern railroad. Garret A. Hobart's
name was attached to it, as it stands on
the records of the commission's proceed-
ings.

Copy of the Arbitrators' Award.

Charges were made during the cam-
paign that Hobart's sympathies were
with the railroads because he acted as
arbitrator for them on one occasion.
It has never before been shown that the
result of the arbitrator's decision was
a violation of the statutes of the United
States. Clark said he had received this
"Arbitrator's Award of the Joint Traffic
Association" Nov. 6, 1896, from O. J.
Grammer, traffic manager of the Lake
Shore road. He read it to the commis-
sion, as follows: "After due considera-
tion of the arguments presented and the
statistics of traffic forwarded in the past
the arbitrators' award is that east-bound
shipments of live stock and dressed
meats from Chicago and Chicago junc-
tions, included in this reference, re-
duced to an equivalent of sixth-class
tonnage basis, be apportioned between
the lines in interest from and after
Sept. 1, 1896, as follows:" (Here the
apportionment is given in tabular form.
Another paragraph and table gives the
decision as to east-bound dead freight.)

Railways Obeyed the Decision.

The whole is signed by J. F. Goddard,
Garret A. Hobart and E. H. Leonard,
arbitrators. Clark, under the question-
ing of the commission's attorney, W. A.
Day, admitted this decision was being
followed. In proof the following tele-
gram, ordered produced by the commis-
sion, was submitted. It is dated Cleve-
land, O., Feb. 25, 1897, and addressed to
J. L. Clark: "Be sure to see that our
tonnage is reduced. If it is necessary
to send Red line or Lehigh Valley ton-
nage over Nickel Plate in order to re-
duce our excess you can do so, but be-
fore doing it you must arrange with
the Nickel Plate to deliver Red line
business to New York Central and
Lehigh Valley business to the Lehigh
Valley at Buffalo. I am very anxious
that our current business will show a
reduction at once. G. J. GRAMMER."

Clark stated that between Feb. 6 and
April 4, 1897, acting under these in-
structions, he had diverted to the Nickel
Plate 344 cars of freight, aggregating
12,468,140 pounds. Other evidence as to
similar transactions was produced later.

Direct Violation of the Law.

"This is a direct violation of the in-
terstate commerce law, clause 5," com-
mented Commissioner Prouty. The com-
mission learned another very interesting
fact—that the rules of the Central
Freight association and Joint Traffic as-
sociation are in force in spite of the
recent supreme court decision. "Then
the association has gone by the board,"
Chairman Morrison asked of Mr. Clark,
"but its rules are still in force?" "Yes,
sir, this one, anyhow," said Clark,
referring to the rule about the length
of time cars might remain in Chicago
without being reconsigned. Clark was
by far the principal witness of the ses-
sion, although a very unwilling one. His
testimony also helped to arouse the com-
mission's curiosity to a much higher
pitch regarding certain peculiar entries
on the books of various roads.

Some Explanations Wanted.

Attorney Day and Commissioners
Morrison and Prouty were very anxious
to find out why the statement of the
Lake Shore road should show a pay-
ment of \$5 per car to the Elgin, Joliet
and Eastern road—far above the
ruling price—for transfer charges at
Chicago. They also wanted an explana-
tion of another entry of \$2 extra per
car which was alleged to have been
paid the Chicago and Eastern Illinois
road on cars of grain received from it.
"The C. and E. I. did not disclose this in
their answer," said Day. "We should
like to know where it is and who got it."
But Clark said he could not account
for it. He was sure it had been paid,
but could not tell why. He was ap-
parently horrified at the suggestion that
this entry was made simply to conceal
a rebate.

Committed Suicide by Fire.

Milwaukee, June 10. — Mrs. Joseph
Deuster, wife of the superintendent of the
South side postal department of this
city, and sister-in-law of P. V. Deuster,
United States consul to Crefeld, died
yesterday morning from an attempt at
suicide by fire. She had long been a
sufferer from nervous prostration and
had several times threatened to take
her life. Monday morning her husband
was horrified on awakening on seeing
the woman standing at his bedside en-
veloped in flames. She had applied a
match to her own clothing.

Heavy Loss of Knights of Honor.

St. Louis, June 10.—At the meeting
here of the supreme lodge of the
Knights of Honor interest is centered
in the new plans for assessment in-
surance, which are now based on the mor-
tality tables of the regular life com-
panies. The loss of 10,000 members
since Oct. 1 last year, when the new
plan went into operation, has caused
widespread discussion and comment,
and the supreme body is somewhat ex-
cited over the proper arrangement of
its affairs.

Florists Meet at St. Louis.

St. Louis, June 10. — Florists and
nurserymen from all parts of the coun-
try have assembled here to attend the
twenty-second annual meeting of the
American Association of Nurserymen.
The last time the association attended the

SIGNED THAT STREET RAILWAY BILL

Governor Tanner Calls a Chicago Man
Down Very Emphatically.

Springfield, June 10.—Governor Tan-
ner signed the famous Allen street rail-
way bill at 10:45 a. m. yesterday. Advo-
cates and opponents of the bill were
given a hearing by Governor Tanner
Tuesday, and almost the entire day was
consumed in speeches. There were sev-
eral hot passages between the governor
and John M. Harlan and the latter and
C. T. Yerkes. Harlan stated broadly
that the governor "must know" that the
legislature was bribed to pass the bill.
This brought the governor to his feet
with blood in his eye. He said he did
not know it and that he did not want
Harlan to assert so. Harlan later re-
peated it and the governor said he would
insist on a retraction before Harlan was
permitted to proceed.

Harlan then retracted so far as the
governor knowing was concerned, but
said that if the governor had been on the
floor of the legislature as he (Harlan)
had, and heard the evidence he (Harlan)
had, the governor would know that the
legislature was bribed. Then the gov-
ernor remarked that it was evidently Har-
lan's duty to go to the grand jury. While
Harlan was making these charges he
had said he couldn't prove them, and
Yerkes told him that the man that
made such charges when the accused
were not present was a coward. Har-
lan said he didn't come to hear from
Yerkes, but the latter insisted that he
should hear by repeating the statement
that a man who made such charges in
such a manner was a coward.

Condition of Michigan Crops.

Lansing, Mich., June 10.—The Michi-
gan crop report says that the average
condition of wheat in the state is 78
per cent, as compared with 77 one year
ago. Wheat has been badly injured by
the wet weather. The acreage planted
to corn is 99 per cent. of that of average
years. That planted to oats is 91 per
cent., and the condition of this crop is
95. Reports from 900 townships indi-
cate that the number of sheep now on
hand in the state is nearly 3 per cent.
less than last year.

Costly Fire at Carlisle.

Springfield, Ill., June 10.—The great
mill and elevator of the St. Louis Mill-
ing company at Carlisle, together
with the large cooper shop, John Schap-
er's hardware store, and several resi-
dences near by, were totally destroyed
by fire yesterday afternoon. Cupless,
the St. Louis millionaire wood mer-
chant, purchased the mill in 1882 from
Weer Brothers, who were bankrupt.
The total loss is about \$200,000, with \$65,-
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mation call on or address,
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Pittsburg, Pa., Excursion.

Account meeting of the Junior Order
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ONE CENT.

RAISE SUGAR BEETS.

Farmers Can Secure a Beet Sugar Factory if They Will Raise the Raw Material.

IT IS A GREAT INDUSTRY.

Lake Ports are the Best Locations for Factories Making Beet Sugar.

More or less seriously the people of Benton Harbor have discussed the probabilities and possibilities of the establishment here of a sugar beet factory especially since the bounty law was passed.

It takes an enormous amount of money to establish such a factory but the money can always and easily be secured wherever the farmers will engage in beet raising and furnish the raw material for such a factory.

A writer in the Grand Rapids Democrat gives a good idea of the possibilities of such a factory and how to secure one.

It should be understood that a big sugar beet factory brings in a large amount of its beets by rail, and in order to be operated it covers a large acreage. There is an illustration in the Ohio bulletin of two trains loaded with beets at the Norfolk, Nebraska, beet sugar factory. In 1895 this factory made almost five million pounds of sugar, so that the factory not only furnishes employment to the railroad for coal and other material it consumes, but also in hauling beets. If a beet factory were located in Grand Rapids, or Muskegon, the raising of beets would not be confined to either Kent or Muskegon counties, but adjoining counties would also be interested in such a factory.

The beet factory at Lehigh, Utah, in '93 used forty-five hundred tons of coal, two hundred tons of coke, sixteen hundred tons of lime rock, forty thousand double sugar bags, four thousand one hundred and fifty yards of heavy duck, ten hundred and fifty yards of German duck, six thousand pounds of sal soda, four thousand five hundred pounds of tallow, thirty thousand pounds of sulphur, ten thousand pounds of muriatic acid, five thousand dollars worth of laboratory supplies. Paid out for labor over fifty-two thousand dollars and over one hundred and forty-two thousand dollars for beets. It employed two hundred hands in the factory and spent over two hundred and thirty thousand dollars to make four million pounds of sugar.

A sugar beet factory must be located where lots of water can be secured, as it requires not less than two million gallons daily, which is enough to supply quite a city. It will be seen from these figures that a sugar beet factory is more profitable at a port on Lake Michigan than it would be inland on account of water, coal and other supplies needed. The state of Wisconsin alone can use up one hundred and twenty million pounds of sugar in a year, at an expense of over five millions of dollars per year to the people. If this were divided among the farmers and in the operation of the factories it would be a great source of wealth to that state. It is a fact noted by travelers and well known by European governments that farmers in the beet-growing districts are thrifty and successful far beyond those of other districts, excepting the dairy district.

It has been found that beet culture is not exhaustive to the soil and that there is no better crop for rotation. The Walborn Swenson company of Chicago are manufacturers of sugar machinery, and they figure that a factory having a capacity of three hundred to three hundred and fifty tons of beets per day would entail a cost of machinery on cars in Chicago of one hundred and seventy thousand dollars, and a first-class building seventy-five thousand.

The first thing to be done to secure the location of a beet factory is for the farmer to learn how to grow sugar beets with profit. If, for a year or two, the farmers in two or three adjoining counties should each grow a few acres of sugar beets, thus demonstrating that they could raise them and what it would cost, as well as becoming acquainted with the business, they would then be in shape to make contracts for a large acreage, providing, of course, a factory could be established, and would know what they were going into. If the capital knew what it would cost to raise two thousand tons of beets in an adjoining county, what the same could be contracted for, and the sugar test was all right, and the quantity thus raised could be increased if desired, the large capital required to build and operate such a factory could be secured. In other words a sugar beet factory is dependent on two things: How large a supply can be contracted for by farmers of sugar beets of the required test, and second, where such a factory could be located with due regard to cheapness of operation and having plenty of water.

It will be seen that what the farmer can do is the first thing. If there is no factory the few acres of beets the farmer will raise in each year will not be lost, as they are worth the raising for stock feed and dairy purposes, and are a good crop for the farmer to have, even if there is no factory to sell to.

If afflicted with colds, coughs, croup, whooping cough, and premature baldness, do not neglect to use a good preparation of the hair and scalp.

A SCHOOL ELECTION.

St. Joseph Will Vote on Building a New School House.

A special school election will be held in St. Joseph June 23, to decide upon the proposition for building a new school in Finnigan's addition, the same to be paid at the rate of \$2,000 per year.

A BICYCLE ACCIDENT.

Little Child of Bert Nowlen's Knocked Unconscious.

Another bicycle accident occurred last evening, the result of careless riding on the sidewalk.

A little child of Bert Nowlen's was playing on the sidewalk on Broadway when a wheelman ran the little one down and it was some time before consciousness was restored.

The wheelman acted the gentleman. He stopped and expressed his sorrow. Said that he was a stranger and did not ride on the walks until he saw other people make a business of it. He added that he would never ride on the walk again.

BACK IN BUSINESS.

Edward Brammell Has Bought the Business of H. C. Hurlbut & Co.

Edward Brammell, who for many years has been in the plumbing business in this city, but who recently sold out to H. C. Hurlbut & Co., has purchased the business.

We should like to have you try Cleveland's baking powder, because we are sure that it will mean another customer for us.

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chased the stock and business and is now in possession. The differences which seemed at one time would involve the parties in litigation have been satisfactorily arranged by Attorneys Ellsworth and Harvey.

All those who have claims against or knowing themselves indebted to H. C. Hurlbut & Co., are requested to call upon Gore & Harvey.

woman Murdered at Hurley.

Hurley, Wis., June 10. — A woman known as "Irish Annie" was murdered at 12 o'clock Tuesday night. Sheriff Logan and a posse are out in search of the murderer. Men have been stationed all along the railway track between here and Ashland in hope of capturing the murderer.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Three hundred delegates are attending the annual national convention at Kansas City of the National Credit Men's association.

After threatening it for several years the village of Bangor, Wis., has actually boycotted the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway. Every business man of consequence has agreed not to patronize the road until a new station is built.

Obituary: At Malden, Mass., Commander George E. Wingate, U. S. N., 60. At Hilldale, Mich., John H. Armstrong, 81. At New York, Robert Johnston Finley, 28; Stephen O'Brien.

Charles Bourbon del Monte, Prince of la Fanstino, and Miss Jane Allen Campbell, daughter of the late George W. Campbell, of New York, were married at Geneva, Switzerland.

The defalcation of Paying Teller Rogers, of the First National bank, of Dover, Del., may reach \$100,000, but the bank is not affected seriously.

Within an hour after securing her divorce at Green Bay, Wis., Mrs. Schmidt, who is over 50 years old, was married to Stephen Pesio, 32 years old, of Maple Valley, Oconto county.

Fire destroyed the Casino hotel and saloon near Dollar Bay, Mich. Loss, \$5,000.

Miss Isabelle Perkins, the wealthiest heiress in Boston, will be wedded to Lars Anderson, of Ohio. Miss Perkins is estimated to be worth \$17,000,000 in her own right.

Louis Aldrich has been elected president of the Actors' Fund of America.

Excursion on the River.

The ladies of Benton Center Circle, who are raising money for building a Union church, will give an excursion up the river on the May Graham June 16. Fare for the round trip 50 cents.

Best will leave Benton Harbor at 7:30 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. The ladies will be met at the depot.

A FAKE REPORT.

Spencer & Barnes Factory Will Not Shut Down.

A report has been vigorously circulated to the effect that the Spencer & Barnes furniture factory would close next Saturday night and not open again until September.

There is no truth whatever in the report. B. H. Spencer, of Spencer & Barnes, said this morning that the factory had never been closed down and would not be. It is probable that the factory may close for a week about July 4 for repairs, and possibly not even that. The business of the company considering the general condition of the trade is excellent.

Van Twiller, 10c cigar sold for 5c.

DETROIT WILL SUFFER.

New Michigan Central Time Card Not Liked.

NILES, Mich., June 10.—Business men who have an extensive correspondence with Detroit houses are much dissatisfied with the present train schedule on the Michigan Central, which gives only one day mail.

It is impossible to get a reply from Detroit inside of three days. Two merchants declared they would have to sever their business relations with Detroit houses, and do business with Chicago, on account of the delay in receiving mail orders, telegraphing being too expensive.

Bird, agent for Van Twiller.

FLORAL FASHIONS.

Violets, Carnations and Orchids—Summer Costume of Two Colors.

Natural flowers are more and more adopted by fashion, and on all social occasions they are used in profusion. At entertainments, balls, dinners, weddings and baptisms they are lavishly employed as decorations, and no preparations for a festivity are complete without them. In Paris they are much worn upon the person by men and women both. For men there is a prescribed mode which tells what particular flower shall be worn in each circumstance of daily life. For the early walk in morning costume a little bunch of Russian violets is selected; for the afternoon, a red carnation; for the theater in the evening, a white carnation; for a dinner, some curious orchid, or, if it is not a full dress dinner, a small cluster of Parma violets; at a ball, a cattleya, which has supplanted the gardenia. This fashion of wearing flowers in the buttonhole fell into disfavor for awhile, but is now revived and thoroughly established.

For women flowers are considered a necessity. Their apartments are always full of flowers, which are renewed daily. It is



SUMMER TOILET.

not advisable, however, to use for the decoration of living apartments varieties having a powerful fragrance, and they are especially out of place in a bedroom at night, as the strong perfume renders a confined place close. It is said that the lily, hyacinth and mimosa affect the throat and should never be placed in a room where there is to be singing.

Every country has its floral emblem. Germany prefers the cornflower and the forgetmenot, Austria the edelweiss, Italy and Denmark the marguerite. As for America, her flower has yet to be definitely selected.

A picture is given of a summer costume in two colors. The skirt is of accordion plaited straw mousseline de sole made over sky blue satin and trimmed around the foot with a wide fall of embroidered tulle headed by a ruche of mousseline de sole. The bodice of sky blue satin is covered with plaited and embroidered ruffles and has a wide corselet belt of black satin. The tight sleeves of blue satin are covered with embroidered tulle and have caps composed of three plaited ruffles of straw gauze. The shoulder knots and collar are of pale blue satin. The hat of white straw is trimmed with embroidered straw gauze. JUDIC CHOLLER.

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ST. JOSEPH.

is in town for the sum-

Sullivan is ill at her home

Greening has returned

in Chicago.

of Grand Rapids is in town

for a few days.

's circus and hippodrome is

the 21 of this month.

Gore is having an addition

the St. Joseph rectory.

E. Stephens is building a

walk in front of her home.

of Kalamazoo came over

Chicago yesterday afternoon.

new boiler building will be oc-

next week by W. B. Church.

St. Claire is expected home

next day from Ann Arbor.

show is billed for three

the Academy of Music next

Tremont and family have oc-

the house just vacated by Mr.

Collier has accepted his old

the Graham dock for another

and daughter have re-

Chicago to spend the sum-

Jordan and Lawrence Ray

Milwaukee with the excursion

Pooler has a very sore hand

result of blood poisoning having

it into it.

is suffering from an ab-

welling of the throat which

him to his home.

traffic is light for this

The City of Chicago brought

a handful of passengers.

large Emma Thompson

her trial trip and proved in

order since her overhauling.

Arthur Holton of the Vandalla

Mrs. Ansley were quietly

last night at the home of Mrs.

Pingree Rifles will hold their

drill tonight. A business

will also be held and a large

is desired.

General of Joseph Leute was

yesterday. There was a very

possession, the Catholic Knights

numbering 100.

hulk of the old steamer Reid,

was towed five miles up the

some weeks ago, is fast

up and the timbers coming

Harry Stone and daughters

Dorothy started today for a

months visit in New Jersey, New

Pennsylvania, Maryland and

among relatives and friends.

the hotel formerly Volie's

on the boulevard will be ready

next week. The painters are

up the interior of the building

Hotel St. Joseph will open Sat-

and will be new on as elab-

scale as formerly. The new

H. G. Stone, has spent con-

money on the place during

month and it was never better

accomodate a large number of

Starrs were greeted with a

smaller audience last night

made up by the brilliancy of

entertainment. Mr. Starr bega-

by putting his hand in

of the seat of a chair which

back and carrying it around

Then he obtained messages

the spirit world on paper. He

some fine cabinet work. Hav-

handcuffed by Officer How-

went into the cabinet and in

a minute came out without

His last trick was taking a

from the audience and hav-

two men hold it, stand away

it on fire without touching it.

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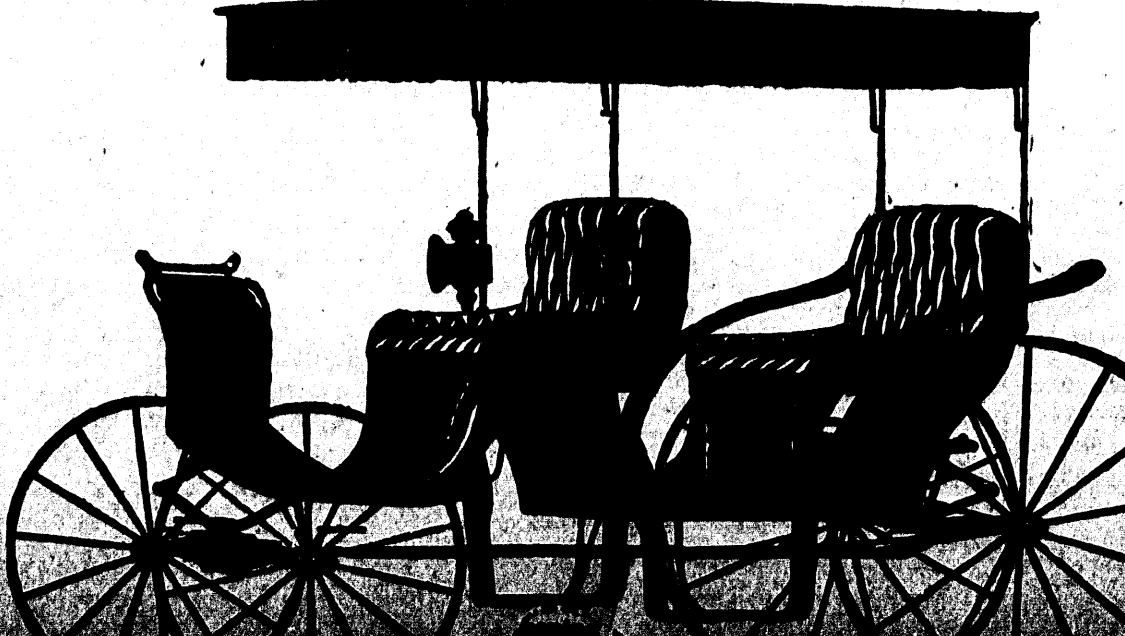
Men's Elegant Business Suits.....\$3.50	Boy's Pants......10	Ladies' Shirt Waists......25
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THE DEAL IS OFF.

The Cash Could Not Be Raised to Open the Buss Machine Works.

AN EFFORT WAS MADE TODAY.

C. M. Edick and E. Brant Each Subscribed Two Thousand Dollars for Stock.

With the subscription paper started by C. M. Edick and Edward Brant for \$2,000 each it was impossible to raise enough money to buy the Buss machine works and begin the manufacture of the Spaulding gas engine. The committee appointed at the citizens' meeting last night—C. M. Edick, L. O. Chatfield and C. J. Brown—after securing about \$8,000 of the needed \$50,000 threw up their hands in despair and declared off all negotiations.

The owners of the plant now manufacturing these engines will go to Muskegon and try to arrange for the starting of the business in that city, where they state a bonus is in waiting.

This morning the committee found a large number of men who really impressed them with the idea that they would invest liberally if they only had a little ready money, while some who could take an interest just as well as not flatly refused to become connected with this or any other enterprise.

In addition to the \$2,000 subscriptions of Mr. Edick, Mr. Brant and Mr. Hartough, of the Mitchell machine company, L. O. Chatfield agreed to take \$500 stock, and it was intimated that J. J. Miller would make outright a donation of \$500. Many other smaller subscriptions were promised bringing the total up nearly to \$8,000.

In the city there are about twenty machinists and moulders who could be induced to take at least \$2,000 in stock and pay the same in work, each workman leaving a part of his earnings to apply on the stock purchase. It is quite probable that \$5,000 could be raised from machinists who would be willing to pay their stock in work.

It is possible another effort may be made in the direction of the enterprise. The industry is such a good one that Benton Harbor ought not to let it pass unimproved.

THE CITIZENS' MEETING.

In Numbers and Enthusiasm It Was a Disappointment.

The small attendance at the meeting held at the city hall last evening to reach a decision in regard to opening

the Buss factory with the Spaulding gasoline engine plant showed a lack of enterprise and enthusiasm on the part of our people. There were chairs enough in the city hall to provide seats for all.

President Miller of the board of trade acknowledged that he was discouraged and disappointed and he feared that the best opportunity this city ever had was about to slip away unimproved.

The amount of money already invested in the patent and patterns of the Spaulding engine is \$6,000, \$4,000 of which must be paid in cash and \$2,000 in stock in the new company. This price includes \$1,000 worth of engines ready for the market. It was proposed to organize a company with a capital of \$50,000, and buy the Buss machine works for \$25,000, paying \$5,000 down and paying interest on the balance. If \$20,000 in cash could be raised the factory would start in a week's time.

Half a dozen speeches were made by men who have experimented with other gas engines and their verdict was that the Spaulding engine was unequalled. The profits on the engines are all that can be desired and it was said that the gas engine business at the present time is more flourishing than any other branch of manufacturing.

Roman I. Jarvis, who is running one of the engines, in a speech declared that without manufacturing Benton Harbor has reached its growth. He said that he was confident that he could go out and sell an unlimited number of the Spaulding engines.

E. E. Rouse, also running a Spaulding machine, declared it a charm and he hoped that the Buss factory would be utilized in their manufacture. It would fill our empty houses and put idle hands to work.

L. O. Chatfield declared that in Benton Harbor it was cheaper to rent than own a home. If the Buss factory were in operation and good wages paid all this would be different.

Words of encouragement were spoken for the enterprise by C. M. Edick, Mayor Bell, Edward Brammell and S. F. Snow.

President Miller corrected a false impression. It has been reported that the First National bank of this city and the Grand Rapids bank were going to make some money out of the sale. Mr. Miller assured the meeting that the two banks had put \$30,000 in the plant and in selling for \$25,000 they would lose \$5,000. He also said that unless some steps were taken toward improvement all of the business houses could not live and that he could stand it as long as any one.

A committee consisting of L. O. Chatfield, C. M. Edick and C. J. Brown was appointed to solicit subscriptions.

WILL BE BUILT.

The Street Railroad to Eastman Springs.

Delays which have made sick at heart some of the strongest defenders of the Eastman Springs street railroad will not have the effect of stopping the construction of the road.

The road will be built.

A few changes have been made in the original course outside the city limits on account of the obstinacy of some of the property owners. The owners of property who will do nothing will not be troubled with the road along their land. It will be kept as far as possible from all such property.

GETTING READY FOR BUSINESS

Charles Godfrey Has Leased Land of the Railroad Company.

Charles H. Godfrey will operate his canning factory the coming season at the old location.

Last winter Mr. Godfrey sold the land on which the factory is located to the Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus railroad company and it was the condition that he remove the canning factory this spring. Since that time Mr. Godfrey has leased the ground he sold the company and the factory will be located at the old stand the coming season.

The plant is being put in a condition for operation.

The firm will can strawberries provided the price drops to 50 cents a case, which is a little more than three cents a quart. The people who sell their berries at the canning factory have no expense for boxes and crates.

EXCURSION TO CHICAGO.

Methodist Ladies Will Give One June 21.

The ladies of the Methodist church have arranged for an excursion to Chicago, via the Graham & Morton line, to be given Monday, June 21, returning the following evening thus giving the entire day in the city for shopping. Don't forget this. 9523

Telephone Notice.

Many people have expressed a desire to subscribe for telephones, who have not yet made contracts. To these friends we wish to say that all contracts must be made before June 20 if it is desired that your name appear in the July directory as we expect to issue that about June 25.

Drop us a postal card and we will call on you.

TWIN CITY TELEPHONE CO.

52016 R. MORRILL, Sec.

It takes a good deal of time to get the new numbers out. Ask for them early.

GRIND OF JUSTICE.

It Will Be Necessary to Hold a Night Session of the Court This Evening.

\$98.77 JUDGMENT FOR WEBER

Other Important Items Gathered About the Temple of Justice Today.

Before morning the circuit court calendar will be cleared of three cases. This morning the jury in the case of Weber vs. Hirsch, after being out fifteen minutes brought in a verdict for the plaintiff and awarded him damages in the sum of \$98.77.

This case will be of especial interest to the many fruit growers in this vicinity as nearly every one of them has had nearly the same experience as Mr. Weber in dealing with Chicago commission men.

Mr. Weber, who is a prominent apple grower in Bainbridge, shipped to Mr. Hirsch, a commission man in Chicago, a car load of apples and after waiting nearly a month without hearing from the firm he wrote them a letter and received a reply that the apples were worthless upon their arrival in Chicago. Mr. Weber started the suit in the court to recover pay for his apples and the court held that when Mr. Weber loaded his car with apples he had fulfilled his part of the contract and was entitled to his pay. Gore & Harvey appeared for Mr. Weber.

The following jury was impanelled to sit in the case of the Huber manufacturing company vs. Charles W. Moore.

Samuel Versaw, Edgar Weed, William Wessing, William Polmanter, John Gleason, David Coates, John Hanover, William Burt, N. C. Emery, Frank Rhoades, James A. Hendrix, Nicholas Dickerman.

The manufacturing company seeks to recover on certain notes issued by Mr. Moore in payment of a threshing machine engine. The case was given to the jury at 2 o'clock this afternoon. N. A. Hamilton appears for the defendant and L. C. Fyfe for the plaintiff.

Thomas Granahan and Thomas Stathers, who will be tried on the charge of horse stealing will be the next case and in order to dispose of the case before tomorrow morning a night session of the court will be held. Attorneys H. W. Davis and Charles N. Sears appear for the defence.

A decree of divorce was granted May Ryan in the circuit court this morning. She sought a separation from her husband, William Ryan, on the grounds of cruelty and non support.

HORSE THIEF CAUGHT.

Sheriff Ferguson Makes a Capture in Stevensville This Morning.

Yesterday afternoon about 2 o'clock a stranger who represented himself to be a commission man applied at Dr. J. C. Cole's livery stable for a horse and carriage saying he wished to take a short trip in the country and would return about 6 o'clock. He procured the rig and that was the last seen of him in this vicinity until this morning when Sheriff Ferguson returned from Stevensville with the rig and the man who gave his name as George Weston.

About 9 o'clock last night the sheriff received a telegram from Officer Grimes of Stevensville stating that they had a suspected horse thief locked up and requested that the sheriff come to that village at once. Mr. Ferguson had not heard of Dr. Cole's loss and did not go until this morning. Upon his arrival there he met Dr. Cole who had been searching for his rig and had it then in his possession.

How the Stevensville officer happened to suspect that the rig was stolen was from the fact that Weston first offered it for sale for \$75 and not finding a buyer dropped to \$15 cash for the horse, harness and carriage.

Man Wanted

To represent the Singer Manufacturing company in and around Benton Harbor to sell Singer sewing machines and collect money. No capital or experience necessary as we furnish machines and learn you how to sell. A good honest bond will be required. For further particulars call on C. D. Keyes, Benton Harbor, or address the Singer Manufacturing company, Grand Rapids, Mich.

We have given John Schaefer the agency in Benton Harbor for our Barley Malt Whiskey. Distilled from malted barley it is rich and nutritious, and free from all impurity. For the sick and feeble it is a true tonic. S. E. Chase & Co., Distillers, Louis 1116, Ky.

Old papers for sale at this office.

Do your cooking with a gas stove and avoid all dust or dirt. 11511

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Do your cooking with a gas stove and avoid all dust or dirt. 11511

The Closing Out Sale

...STILL CONTINUES AT...

C. C. SWEET'S

THE BALANCE OF THIS WEEK I WILL OFFER

A good white unlaundried shirt.....at 29c
Marseilles white bed spreads.....at 69c
Ladies' linen dress skirts.....at \$1.00
Men's handkerchiefs.....at 8c
\$2.50 lace curtains at \$1.75 | \$1.50 lace curtains at 90c
2.00 lace curtains at 1.20 | 1.25 lace curtains at 80c
Sewing Machines.....at \$15.00
Best Lowell extra super Carpets.....47c

This is the 65c novelty.

...TERMS CASH...

C. C. SWEET

131-133-135-137-139 Pipestone St.

E. W. MOORE & CO.

Are the Bargain Leaders All the Time.

Our Special Sales every day are public money savers. We have goods and prices to prove it.

Friday, June 11

We will Make Prices on

Ladies' Muslin Underwear

That are without a parallel in this section of the state. You don't need to go to Chicago for this class of goods, we can, and do afford to sell them cheaper than any of the State street houses. Inspection will demonstrate this fact to the satisfaction of all.

We have an immense line, at a great range of prices, we can quote but a few in this space.

Ladies' Muslin Corset Covers, high or low neck, embroidered fronts, all sizes, at 19c. Can you make them for that?

Ladies' full size Muslin Night Gowns, high neck, ruffle collars and cuffs, puffed yokes, at 32c. Can you make them for that?

Ladies' Empire Style Gown, embroidered front, wide cambric ruffled collar and cuffs, worth 75c, today they go at 39c.

Ladies' Muslin Drawers, umbrella style, cambric ruffled, open or closed, choice at 20c a pair.

We have't time to say much about Skirts, we have them nevertheless, and the price will be 32c, and 39c for good ones.

We have a full line of the better goods at prices correspondingly low.

...GROCERY BARGAINS...

Spring Wheat Flour, \$4.00 per bbl.

Fresh Eggs at 9c a doz

XXXX Coffee, 15c.

Colo. Rio Coffee, 2 lbs. for 25c.

5 lbs. Good Rice for 25c.

Micado Tea Tips, 19c a lb.

Crushed Java Coffee at 10c lb.

9 bars Jaxon soap for 25c.

Javaness coffee at 15c pkg.

10 bars Calumet soap for 25c.

Bulk Starch, 3c a lb.

Pound can choice Baking Powder, 8c.

Ladies' or Gents' Bicycles at \$29

Guaranteed for One Year.

THE ENTERPRISE

116 E. Main St. Benton Harbor

Call upon us for DRY GOODS and see if we don't load you up for very little money.

Millinery...Millinery

As it is our custom at this time of year to clean up for the season regardless of cost we make prices for the next 10 days at one-fourth off. This means 50 per cent less than you can buy the same goods elsewhere.

THE ENTERPRISE MERCANTILE CO.

This is no Joke...

We have one of the finest and most complete lines of

Ladies' Fine Stationery

In Benton Harbor and for the next 10 days will sell the same at reduced prices.

Our Ice Cream Soda

is the talk of the town.

Why?

Because we serve it correctly and use nothing but the celebrated and world famous

Reid's Ice Cream

DR. J. J. FABRY

110 Water Street

HE WON THE OTHER JUDGES
OVER TO HIS OPINION.

Verdict in an Italian Homicide Case
Which Astonished the Court and Law-
yers in New York—Convicting "Kill or
Be Killed" Logic.

"It was known as the murder of the
son of the turkey," said Assistant Dis-
trict Attorney Hal Bell, who handles
all the Italian homicide cases in the
criminal courts. "The murdered man
was Nuccio Iallaz, and he was stabbed
to death on the afternoon of Nov. 26,
1896. The man who killed him was
Giuseppe Ladiere. I put Ladiere on
trial in the criminal branch of the
supreme court. The indictment charged
him with murder in the first degree.
His counsel, Lawyer Palmieri, offered
to enter a plea of guilty to manslaughter
in the first degree, but the plea was
not accepted, as it seemed an easy mat-
ter to convict the defendant. There was
no denial of the fact that Ladiere
stabbed Iallaz to death with a knife 15
inches long.

"After the jury had been sworn
I learned that one of them, a big, hand-
some fellow, was a Texan. When I
found this out, I became satisfied that I
would have a hard job getting a convic-
tion, for when you get a full fledged,
raw Texan on a jury in a murder trial
he'll simply decide the case according
to his own judgment, regardless of law.
He has only to be convinced as to
whether the murdered man ought to
have been killed. The actual crime has
nothing to do with the case. The Texan
has his own ideas about such matters,
and, knowing this, I was sorry to think
I had a full fledged, raw Texan on the
jury trying Ladiere.

"The story that the jury got from the
witnesses was that Ladiere met Iallaz
on One Hundred and Fifty-second
street; that the men had a wordy quar-
rel; that Ladiere slapped the face of
Iallaz; that Iallaz drew a big knife
from his belt, and then ensued a scuffle,
the knife falling to the sidewalk; that
both men fought to get it, and that La-
diere, being the quicker of the two,
got hold of the knife and plunged it in-
to Iallaz, who died from the effects of
the stabbing. These were the undis-
puted facts that were given to the jury,
and we all believed that Ladiere would
be convicted of at least manslaughter.
But the jury promptly acquitted the
man after Ladiere showed them on the
witness stand the way in which he did
the killing.

"Defendant's counsel, Lawyer Palm-
ieri, was greatly surprised at the ver-
dict. Justico Giegerich was unable to
understand such action on the jury's
part. But I believed I knew the secret of
it all, and to satisfy myself I began a
quiet investigation, which has resulted
in my learning that I was right in my
first belief. The handsome man from
Texas, just gave the other jurymen to
understand that he was there. He was
not to be bullied. He was not to be out-
voted either. If the jurymen wouldn't
listen to the way they settled trifling
cutting scrapes in Texas, he would see
about it; see to it that they would.
Plunging a knife into a man's heart—
that was nothing. The question to be
decided was, did the deceased deserve
the plunge? According to the Texan,
he did; or the live man wouldn't be
alive. If Ladiere had not killed Iallaz,
probably Iallaz might have killed La-
diere. This was a case, the Texan ar-
gued, where quickness won the battle,
and quickness should be rewarded, not
condemned. Ladiere simply got in first
stab, argued the man from Texas, and
he ought to be complimented on his
stabbing speed.

"There were two little men on that
jury and they believed the verdict
should be murder in the first degree.
The Texan just roared at them, and
they slunk away to a corner of the
room. The other jurors backed away
toward the wall. The big Texan then
made a speech, telling the jurors how
they ran things 'down in my state,'
and the other 11 jurors stood open
mouthed, gazing in wonderment. He
recalled shooting bees, and stabbing
parties, and hanging picnics, and gave
graphic illustrations of how 'Sim Gar-
ner cut th' damned gizzard out'n Budd
Allen, when Budd jest said he'd make
Sim eat th' dust.'

"Then he asked if there 'war enny
man in th' room who'd be man enough
to say this were a lie.' But there wasn't
a man there who didn't believe it, and
the Texan said, 'Come, boys, th' ver-
dict's not guilty.' Then they all got in
line, filed into the courtroom, and the
clerk recorded the verdict. Eight of the
jurors were pale faced when they came
in. The faces of three were very red.
The twelfth man was the Texan. His
face appeared normal, and as he warily
grasped the hand of the man who did
the deed he remarked:

"'Yer did right, pard. I'd er did it
myself if I war thar.'
"Now," said Mr. Bell, "you wouldn't
believe such a thing could happen in
great New York, but it did, and La-
diere is back home in Morrisania now."
—New York Sun.

Knights of St. Lazarus.

At a very early period in the history
of the Christian church a special order
of knighthood was instituted, having
for its object the care and supervision
of all those afflicted with leprosy of ev-
ery nationality, and, as its headquarters
had originally been located in the vicin-
ity of Jerusalem, the order was gener-
ally designated Knights of St. Lazarus,
or of St. Lazarus and St. Mary of Jeru-
salem.

A Stayer.

"Aren't you getting gray about the
complex?" he yawned after sitting there
all after midnight.
"Complex?" she smiled wearily.

For a long time in India the appar-
ent transmutation of tin, zinc, copper
and mercury into precious metals has
been practiced. We have seen there
with our own eyes a metal like gold is-
suing from the crucible of the Indian
alchemists—a metal that could not be
told from real gold by means of the
touchstone. We may say, however, that
in old India, as well as in young Amer-
ica, they have not yet succeeded in giv-
ing to the metal thus obtained the chem-
ical properties of gold. On this point
they are not more advanced in the one
country than in the other, and the prob-
lem seems to us not to be near solution.
The metal obtained can, in fact, be de-
composed into its constituent elements.
Nevertheless, it may be interesting to
present to public notice the Indian al-
chemists and to describe their methods.
Around these personages many legends
have sprung up. The people assert that
they never come into a city except by
divine inspiration in order to cure ill-
ness and to enrich certain persons.
There is a belief among the Hindoos,
very widespread, but purely fabulous,
that they disappear at certain hours
to rejoin the citrars—divine naturalists
of the early ages of India, who, accord-
ing to Hindoo tradition, meet with
their divinity, Hari Ishari, on the sum-
mits of the Himalayas, to learn the se-
crets of nature.

The following is the method employ-
ed by these Indian alchemists to make
their gold. We give literally, conform-
ing to the weights and measures in use
in India, the list of substances necessary
for this delicate operation. These are,
according to our documents:

Sulphur of Nelli-Kai (Phyllanthus
lemblica), 24 rupees weight (7 ounces).
White seeds of Abra precatorius, 9 ru-
pees weight (2½ ounces).

One whole garlic.
Cinnabar, 6 rupees weight (2 ounces).
English opiment, 6 rupees weight.
Sal ammoniac, 6 rupees weight.

These are powdered separately, and
then a paste is made of the whole, with
three quarts of "paddy" made of the
milky juice of Asclepias gigantea. The
whole is ground up with this milk.
Then little hard balls are made of the
mixture, and finally two satts are taken
of fine, hard earthenware, of such size
that the material to be distilled occu-
pies only one-third or one-fourth of the
vessel. On the lower vessel another sat-
ti is soldered with potter's earth, after
an opening has been made in the end of
this second vase. Over this hole is fit-
ted a bottle whose end is pierced, and
it is carefully sealed to the vase. Into
the lower vase are put the little balls
described above, and the whole is then
sealed up.

The powder, when vaporized, rises
along the sides of the bottle and con-
denses around the hole. It is collected
with a feather. Then zinc is taken. For
each rupee's weight of zinc is allowed
a quantity of the powder as large as
two or three rice grains. The zinc and
the powder are wrapped up together in
a bit of paper or linen or a leaf. The
whole is put into a crucible, which is
then sealed with a paste composed of
one part of cow dung, one of charcoal
and one of potter's earth. This is
placed on a fire of wood charcoal and
heated white hot, after which it is al-
lowed to cool. Open the crucible—you
are a rich man.—Paris Cosmos.

Catching an Irish Salmon.

Mickle, gaff in hand, was hopping
around behind me, more like a wild In-
dian with a tomahawk than an experi-
enced Irish water bailiff about to im-
pale a salmon. Sport, too, joined in the
infectious excitement and jumped at
my feet and barked at every splash that
the big fish made. Down along the river
bank the cute old bailiff glided and
crept out behind a projecting rock.
Once I almost coaxed him within strik-
ing distance of the one eyed gaffer, but
Mickle prided himself on his skill and
feared to run the risk of missing his
stroke. Off again dashed the fish across
the pool, as if warned by instinct of the
unseen danger, and it was fully ten
minutes ere I had him played back to the
proper point.

Then, like a lightning flash, the cold
steel impaled him, and the great, quiv-
ering body was triumphantly lifted on
the gaff by the exultant bailiff, show-
ing a fish as beautiful as was ever land-
ed. The sheen of his scales and the
small sea lice still clinging to him
showed that he had only just come up
from the salt water. It had taken me
exactly 46 minutes from the moment
he was hooked till he lay on the bank,
and he weighed 28 pounds by my pock-
et scales.

The "thunder and lightning" fly was
carefully extracted from his gullet, for
it had gone down deep, and the bailiff
smiled in appreciation of the remarks
on his good judgment of water, weath-
er and flies which I felt in duty bound
to make. I had time for only a short
rest in the shade after my exciting ex-
perience, when splash! splash! in front
invited me to the sport again.—Sports-
man's Magazine.

Chinese Sweets.

The Chinese are said to possess se-
crets in the preparation of sweets that
astonish our most accomplished con-
fectioners. They know how to remove the
pulp from oranges and substitute vari-
ous jellies. The closest examination
fails to reveal any opening or incision
in the skin of the fruit. They perform
the same feat with eggs. The shells are
apparently as intact as when the eggs
were newly laid, but upon breaking and
opening them the contents consist of
nuts and sweetmeats.—New York Sun.

Times Improving.

"Don't you think that you can raise
my salary?" asked the head clerk.
"I've had a mighty hard time raising
it lately," replied the employer, "but

AND STEAMBOATS.

Schedule of Time and Excursion Rates.

Excursion Rates How Trains Run

THE BIG FOUR.

Account of the Junior Order United Am-
erican Mechanics National Council,
Pittsburg, Pa., June 15 to 19, '97.
For the above occasion the Big Four
will sell round trip excursion tickets at
one lowest first class one way fare,
tickets on sale June 12, 13 and 14,
1897. Final return limit June 21, 1897.

Account of Young People's Christian
Union, Universalist Church, Detroit,
Mich., July 6 to 13, '97.

The Big Four Railroad Co. will sell
round trip excursion tickets at one first
class one way fare. Tickets on sale
July 5 and 6, 1897. Final return limit
July 14.

31st National Encampment, G. A. R. 1

The "Big Four Route" is well known to
the "Boys in Blue" and is their
favorite route to all National Encamp-
ments. The Very Low Rate of One
Cent per Mile each way will be in
effect on all parts of its system and the
superior through train service to Buf-
falo from Peoria, St. Louis, Louisville
Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Dayton,
Springfield, Columbus and intermediate
points via Cleveland, or via Toledo and
Detroit, has placed the "Big Four" in
the lead. Full information will be
cheerfully given by any agent upon ap-
plication.

Tennessee Centennial.

The great southern exposition has
created great interest throughout the
country and applications are being
made as to the best route to reach this
great southern city. The "Big Four"
has the best line from the east with
through train service to Cincinnati
from New York, Boston, Buffalo, Cleve-
land and Columbus; from Detroit, To-
ledo and Sandusky to Cincinnati; and
from Chicago and Benton Harbor to
Cincinnati and Louisville. Direct con-
nections are made with the Q. & C.
route and the L. & N. Ry. Full infor-
mation will be cheerfully given upon
application.

Epworth League Convention.

The "Big Four Route" will name
special low rates for this convention
and calls attention to superiority of its
line from St. Louis, Peoria, Indianapo-
lis, Cincinnati, Dayton, Springfield,
Columbus, via Cleveland, Buffalo and
Niagara Falls to Toronto, or via Toledo
and Detroit. Apply for full particu-
lars.

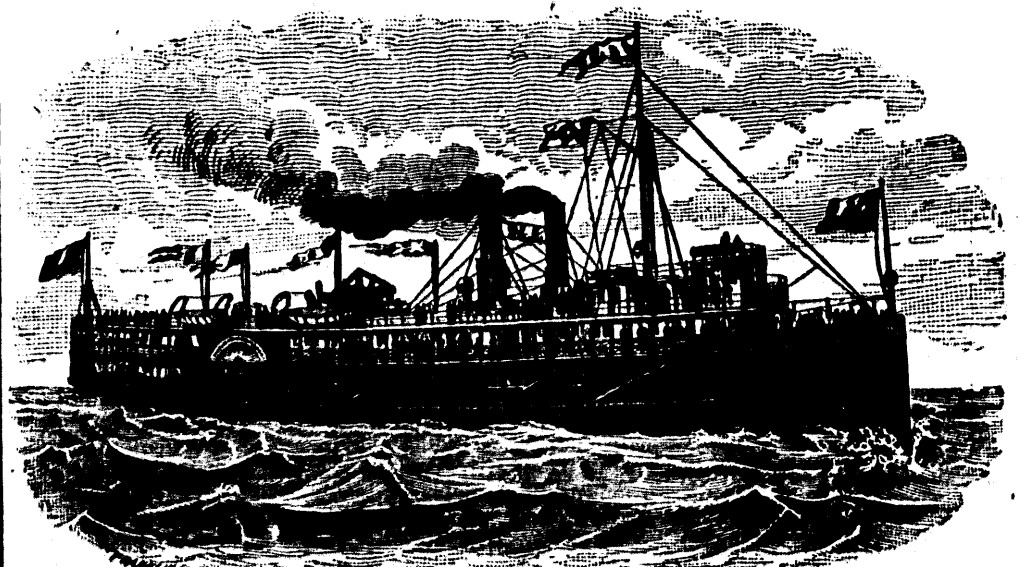
For the Baptist Young People's
Union of America to its annual con-
vention "The Big Four Route" will name
rate of one fare for round trip from al-
points on its system. From the east
through trains run to Cincinnati, mak-
ing direct connection with the Q. & C.
route and the L. & N. Ry. in Central
Union depot. From the north a choice
of routes is offered via Cincinnati or
Louisville. For rates, routes, and full
information call on any representative of
the Big Four route.

Account of the annual convention of
the Young People's Christian Union at
Indianapolis, Ind., August 18 to 23,
1897. The Big Four railway company
will sell round trip excursion tickets at
one lowest first class one way fare.
Tickets on sale August 17 to 18. Final
return limit August 24.

Account of the national republican
league of United States at Detroit,
Mich. The Big Four railway company
will sell round trip tickets at one low-
est first class fare. Tickets on sale
July 12 and 13. Final return limit
July 16.

Account of the German Epworth
League, M. E. church, convention to
be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, July 22 to
25, 1897, the Big Four will sell round
trip excursion tickets at one lowest
first class fare. Tickets on sale July 21
and 22. Final return limit July 26.
L. G. SMITH, Agent.

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANSPORTATION CO.



STEAMER LINES FROM
Benton Harbor and St. Joseph to Chicago and Milwaukee

The steel side wheel steamers, CITY OF CHICAGO and "CITY OF MILWAU-
KEE," the new propeller "CITY OF LOUISVILLE" and the
Steamer "FRANK WOODS."
Beginning May 30 and until further notice the following schedule will be observed
on the Chicago Division:

Leave Benton Harbor	Leave St. Joseph	Arrive Chicago	Leave Chicago	Arrive St. Joseph	Arrive Benton Harbor
1:00 p. m. daily ex Sat. Sun	4:30 p. m. daily 1:30 p. m. daily inc. Sunday	8:30 p. m. daily 4:00 a. m. daily 12:00 noon Sat- urday only	9:30 a. m. daily 11:30 p. m. daily inc. Sunday 10:00 a. m. Sun- day only	1:30 p. m. daily 4:00 p. m. daily 8:00 p. m. Sun- day only	2:30 p. m. daily 5:30 a. m. daily 7:00 p. m. Sat- urday only

Tri-weekly steamer to Milwaukee leaving Benton Harbor at 7 p. m. St. Joseph
at 8 p. m. Milwaukee, Wednesday and Friday. Leave Milwaukee

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WEST MICHIGAN.

Going South	Stations	Going North
6:30 a. m. 11:30 a. m. 1:30 p. m. 3:30 p. m. 5:30 p. m.	Grand Rapids Benton Harbor St. Joseph Chicago	1:30 p. m. 6:30 p. m. 8:30 p. m. 10:30 p. m. 11:30 p. m.

DETROIT, GD. RAPIDS & WESTERN R. R.
Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and
Detroit at 7:00 a. m., 1:30 p. m. and 5:30 p. m.
For Saginaw at 7:10 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.
Parlor cars on all trains; seats 25 cents.

THE BIG FOUR.

C. C. C. & ST. L. RAILWAY.
MICHIGAN DIVISION.
No. 23 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a. m. for
Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and in-
termediate points. No. 25 leaves at 1:00 p. m. for
Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and in-
termediate points. No. 27 leaves at 5:00 p. m. for
Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and in-
termediate points. Arrive at Benton Har-
bor: No. 22, 5:10 a. m. No. 24, 5:10 p. m. No.
26, 6:40 p. m.

VANDALIA.

Taking effect January, 18th, 1897, trains will
leave St. Joseph, Mich., daily except Sunday as
follows:

Northbound Trains	Stations	Southbound Trains
No. 14. No. 6. a. m. p. m.		No. 11. No. 10. a. m. p. m.
9:40 2:15	Ar. St. Joseph Lv.	10:45 5:30
9:17 1:51	Baroda	11:03 6:02
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THURSDAY, JUNE 10, 1897.

THE WEATHER.

Showers tonight and Friday.

START THE FACTORY.

THE EVENING NEWS believes it possible to raise in Benton Harbor \$10,000 among the machinists and in small subscriptions for the opening up of the Buss factory.

Machinists out of a job could be found who would subscribe for \$4,000 in stock and pay for it out of their wages. Possibly \$5,000 could be raised in that way. It ought to be an easy task to find 30 men who would pay \$100 each, 20 who would put in \$50 each and 100 who would interest themselves to the extent of \$10 each.

Figuring the machinists at \$4,000, the \$100 men at \$3,000, the \$50 men at \$2,000, and the \$10 men at \$1,000 the \$10,000 would be raised.

It took no greater effort to secure \$5,000 in subscriptions for the Eastman Springs street railroad which only develops a small portion of the city, and it ought to be easier to raise \$10,000 for the developing of a factory which would at the least calculation pay \$10,000 per month in wages.

If \$10,000 could be raised by small subscriptions the large subscriptions would bring the amount up to a sufficient figure to start and operate the factory.

It is not impossible to start the Buss machine works even in these dull times.

JUNE 14 is flag day, annually observed in the large cities, but scarcely thought of or heard of in the country. The object of the day is to instill patriotic thoughts and sentiments in the young, and the decoration of buildings and stores with flags no doubt has the desired effect. The Michigan society of the Sons of the American Revolution will probably call upon Mayor Bell to issue a proclamation in regard to the local observance of the day.

If Benton Harbor starts the Buss works as proposed no longer will the question be asked here: "Prosperity, where art thou?"

ONE Chicago commission man at least knows that it is unprofitable business to let a consignment of apples rot in his bins.

If every citizen would do his share the starting of the Buss factory or any other enterprise would become a tax on no one.

Buss or bust is a good motto just now.

NEWS OF THE STATE.

Delegates from Olivet, Hope, Kalamazoo, Agricultural, Normal and Hillsdale colleges met at Hillsdale and decided to organize a state oratorical league. The first contest will be held in May, 1898.

It is thought that Dr. Angell of the University of Michigan and minister-elect to Turkey, may remain in Ann Arbor to finish up the year's work, instead of sailing immediately for Turkey.

The council at Niles passed an ordinance imposing a license of \$10 per day on all transient merchants, on pain of \$100 fine or 60 days in jail. They also decided to pave the principal streets.

The story is going the rounds that on a recent tour of inspection over the C. & W. M., General Manager Heald had the train stopped, because just ahead sat a big black bear between the stacks, leisurely licking his paws. Impromptu hunting parties were organized and the bear appeared to be doomed, till a rope was pulled from the bushes, and a tame bear returned to the arms of his Italian organ-grinding master.

Harry Marsh, the Dowagiac rider, took first money at the Charlotte races.

A proposition is being discussed to connect Lansing, Jackson, Battle Creek and Kalamazoo with a trolley line.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox's Cold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

Old papers for sale at this office.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

THE board of public works will meet this evening.

THE city bastille last night gave shelter to a tramp who was 60 years old.

BARNUM & Bailey's greatest show on earth will exhibit in Benton Harbor August 1.

THE Fairplain band played on the streets last evening for the benefit of the Firemen's excursion.

ATTORNEY W. C. Hicks is having his office over the Excelsior clothing store newly painted and papered.

THE new telephone company will employ two girls in the Central office here and two in St. Joseph.

CONN'S Trumpet Notes band of Elk-hart is arranging and advertising an excursion to this city in the near future.

A MEETING of the board of directors of the Alger Guards will be held in Justice Graves' office tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

REV. H. Horton has purchased a lot of M. Emerson on the east side of Pipe-stone street near Clay and is preparing to erect a new residence.

A GRAND Rapids berry buyer proved of good service to the growers last night. He ran up the price of berries from 85 cents to \$1.05 per crate.

DR. Gifford the successful chiropodist who has opened an office in the Morton block is meeting with good success. See his announcement in another column.

THE Alger Guards met for drill last night. It is remarkable to what a degree of perfection the boys have attained in the short time they have been drilling.

IT was Mrs. E. Johnson's new residence on Brunson avenue instead of A. A. Johnson's residence on Pipestone street that B. L. Hall has the plumbing contract for.

THE City of Louisville carried fully 200 Benton Harbor people and nearly that many from St. Joseph to Milwaukee last night the event being the annual firemen's excursion to that city.

THE Phoenix accident and sick benefit association is growing in membership every day. The members of the company are confident that this company will grow into one of the leading industries of the city.

SEVERAL people who intended to go no the firemen's excursion to Milwaukee last night changed their minds when they found out that the City of Louisville instead of the City of Chicago was going to make the trip.

WILL Benton Harbor celebrate the Fourth of July, is a question one business man is asking another every day. It certainly will not unless Jake Simon and a few hustlers buckle into the work and then look out for a rouser.

THE ladies of Benton Center have purchased a half acre of ground on the corner of Highland and Lincoln avenues, three miles from the city, on which will be built a church. The land was purchased of Mr. Higbee for \$10.

ATTORNEY Sears is making an effort to have Sam Livingston and Alex. McDonald, the men who assaulted the Big Four fireman, tried in the circuit court this month. The attorney thinks it is not right to let his clients remain in jail until next October, guilty or not guilty.

FRAZELL's military band, of 24 pieces, will give the first open air concert of the summer on the streets next Friday evening. This organization has spent the entire winter in hard practice and have obtained a degree of perfection which only comes with hard study and practice.

MUNZ Anderson, a swede employed on the St. Joseph valley railway drove to town yesterday after supplies but during his stay here he filled up too much on fire water and as a consequence found lodgings in the city jail. This morning he was taken before Justice Cady who fined him \$2.50 and costs which he paid.

EDWARD Eggleston, of Chicago, is in the city today on business connected with the Standard Oil company. Mr. Eggleston expects to become a resident of this city and to start a first class oil and gasoline delivery service for both cities. His ideas are metropolitan and having had years of experience he will no doubt give excellent service.

CLYDE Suydam, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Suydam, residing at 152 Gates avenue celebrated his thirteenth birthday yesterday afternoon by entertaining twenty-six of his young friends and playmates. Da'nty refreshments consisting of cakes, fruits and bonbons were served the little folks. Before the company dispersed master Clyde was presented with many pretty tokens of friendship and esteem.

THE Vandalla railroad from St. Joseph to Galien is literally alive with "Wandering Willies" who claim to be looking for berry picking, but who gain a living begging from one farm house to another. It is estimated that not less than 200 tramps camp on the banks of the St. Joseph river every night. As long as this class of citizens remain on the other side of the river they need have no fear of Mayor Bell's stone pile.

SAM C. Brown has introduced in his barber shop a battery with which he gives electric shampoos. The current is secured from what is known as a dry battery and by a little switch power can be turned on almost any strength. The electric shampoos are said to be very beneficial to the hair.

Several substantial citizens are interested in the matter.

PERSONAL MENTION.

—W. S. Moore of Wabash is in town today.

—Frank Flood of Chicago is in the city on business.

—Miss Myrtle Warren is visiting at her old home in Charlotte.

—Mrs. C. D. Stuart of Grand Rapids is the guest of friends here.

—Mrs. James Murray is visiting relatives and friends in Muskegon.

—Mrs. Ida Parks returned this morning from a trip to Grand Rapids.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Morrill were passengers to Chicago last night.

—Alderman McDonald returned home from Chicago this morning.

—Miss Lottie Gibson of Chicago is the guest of relatives and friends here.

—Mrs. F. W. Spencer of Eau Claire Wisconsin, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Rounds.

—F. M. Van Horn is working Three Oaks in the interest of the Phoenix accident association.

—Mrs. C. M. Liscombe of Charlevoix is visiting her sister Mrs. Charles Babcock, Cherry street.

—Mrs. Myron Hinkley and three children left this morning for Alanson, Mich., where Mr. Hinkley runs a large establishment manufacturing cheese boxes. They will be away all summer.

—Mrs. H. B. Foresman has returned to the home of her father, W. R. Kennedy after several weeks visit with relatives in Indiana. She expects to leave for her home in Boise City, Idaho, in the near future.

—Mrs. George R. Wright and family will leave this evening with their household goods for Chicago where they will reside in the future. George, son of Mrs. Wright, has an excellent position with Browning, King & Co.

—Dr. Antisdale returned today from Philadelphia where he attended the annual meeting of the American Medical association. This assemblage of 1800 progressive physicians and surgeons in a city noted for its hospitals and medical schools furnished a rare opportunity for advancement in medical science.

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The New Telephone Company Has Put Wires Over the River.

The construction gang of the Twin City telephone company this morning ran the wires across the St. Joseph river which will connect the two cities. Matters are so far advanced that it would be possible to open telephone communication tonight between the two cities over the new line.

There is no longer any doubt about the construction being finished by the first of July. The only difficulty likely to be experienced is that it may not be possible to get all the telephones here by that time. There are so many new lines starting up that the telephone factories are being rushed to supply the demand.

OUR STRAWBERRIES.

They Are Supplying Northern Michigan Markets.

MUSKEGON, June 10—Strawberries from St. Joseph and Benton Harbor are now supplying the needs of consumers hereabout. The American express company here handled 100 cases yesterday and looks for three times as many today. They are of fine size and flavor, superior to the berries hitherto coming here from other states.

The Michigan berries are retailing here at 10 cents per box, while those from Illinois and beyond bring but eight or nine cents.

The crop in this country bids fair to be very large, and as the berries are ripening slowly under the influence of cool weather they will be plump and juicy, with the flavor perfected by these conditions. The crop will begin to come in now in about ten days or so.

Van Twiller—Van Twiller.

Ladies Hair Dressing.

Mrs. Lottie Hurlbut desires us to state that she has made an addition to her business in the treatment of the scalp and electric shampoo which is one of the finest treatments ever given for dandruff and falling out of the hair.

June 10 Mrs. Hurlbut will open bath rooms for the ladies where they can enjoy the luxury of an electric or plain bath. Attendant if desired. Every lady calling this week will get a sample cake of Toujours Jeune. 52016

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We connect gas stoves free of charge. Call and see the different styles we have connected for display, prices ranging from \$6.00 to \$25.00. Excelsior Gas Co. 1511

Van Twiller's at Bird's drug store.

Have you tried Moebis' Pro Patria cigars? Worth 10c, sold for 5c. Stamped Pro Patria. A cool, sweet, satisfying smoke. George Moebis & Co., manufacturers, Detroit.

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Fine cambric shirt waists, with detached collars and cuffs,	at 79c
Fine cambric shirt waists, with detached collars and cuffs,	at 89c
Fine lawns, cambrics, India cloth shirt waists, with detached collars and cuffs,	at \$1.00
Fine lawns, lappet mulls, dimities, nansook shirt waists with detached collars and cuffs,	at \$1.19
Fine dimity mulls, lace mulls, India cambric, organ-dies and C. & C. shirt waists, with detached collars and cuffs,	at \$1.29, 1.39, 1.49, 1.69, 1.89, 2.29
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BEEN ACTING AS AN ARBITRATOR

In Opposition to the Interstate Commerce Statutes Made and Provided—Made Awards of Percentages of Business To Be Done by Roads in a Pool—Fact Dug Up by the Commission While Investigating a Case at Chicago.

Chicago, June 10.—Sworn evidence was presented to the interstate commerce commission yesterday morning to the effect that Garret A. Hobart, vice president of the United States, figured in a direct infraction of the federal law. It was shown that he was one of the three men who prepared a pooling agreement between roads running east from Chicago. This was enforced, according to one of the members of the commission, in absolute violation of the interstate commerce law. The agreement was read to the commission by J. L. Clark, general western freight agent of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad. Garret A. Hobart's name was attached to it, as it stands on the records of the commission's proceedings.

Copy of the Arbitrators' Award. Charges were made during the campaign that Hobart's sympathies were with the railroads because he acted as arbitrator for them on one occasion. It has never before been shown that the result of the arbitrator's decision was a violation of the statutes of the United States. Clark said he had received this "Arbitrator's Award of the Joint Traffic Association" Nov. 6, 1896, from G. J. Grammer, traffic manager of the Lake Shore road. He read it to the commission, as follows: "After due consideration of the arguments presented and the statistics of traffic forwarded in the past the arbitrators' award is that east-bound shipments of live stock and dressed meats from Chicago and Chicago junctions, included in this reference, reduced to an equivalent of sixth-class tonnage basis, be apportioned between the lines in interest from and after Sept. 1, 1896, as follows: [Here the apportionment is given in tabular form. Another paragraph and table gives the decision as to east-bound dead freight.]

Railroads Obeyed the Decision. The whole is signed by J. F. Goddard, Garret A. Hobart and E. H. Leonard, arbitrators. Clark, under the questioning of the commission's attorney, W. A. Day, admitted this decision was being followed. In proof the following telegram, ordered produced by the commission, was submitted. It is dated Cleveland, O., Feb. 25, 1897, and addressed to J. L. Clark: "Be sure to see that our tonnage is reduced. If it is necessary to send Red line or Lehigh Valley tonnage over Nickel Plate in order to reduce our excess you can do so, but before doing it you must arrange with the Nickel Plate to deliver Red line business to New York Central and Lehigh Valley business to the Lehigh Valley at Buffalo. I am very anxious that our current business will show a reduction at once. G. J. GRAMMER."

Clark stated that between Feb. 6 and April 4, 1897, acting under these instructions, he had diverted to the Nickel Plate 364 cars of freight, aggregating 12,468,140 pounds. Other evidence as to similar transactions was produced later.

Direct Violation of the Law. "This is a direct violation of the interstate commerce law, clause 5," commented Commissioner Prouty. The commission learned another very interesting fact—that the rules of the Central Freight association and Joint Traffic association are in force in spite of the recent supreme court decision. "Then the association has gone by the board," Chairman Morrison asked of Mr. Clark, "but its rules are still in force?" "Yes, sir, this one, anyhow," said Clark, referring to the rule about the length of time cars might remain in Chicago without being reconsigned. Clark was by far the principal witness of the session, although a very unwilling one. His testimony also helped to arouse the commission's curiosity to a much higher pitch regarding certain peculiar entries on the books of various roads.

Some Explanations Wanted. Attorney Day and Commissioners Morrison and Prouty were very anxious to find out why the statement of the Lake Shore road should show a payment of \$5 per car to the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern road—far above the ruling price—for transfer charges at Chicago. They also wanted an explanation of another entry of \$2 extra per car which was alleged to have been paid the Chicago and Eastern Illinois road on cars of grain received from it. "The C. and E. I. did not disclose this in their answer," said Day. "We should like to know where it is and who got it." But Clark said he could not account for it. He was sure it had been paid, but could not tell why. He was apparently horrified at the suggestion that this entry was made simply to conceal a rebate.

Committed Suicide by Fire. Milwaukee, June 10.—Mrs. Joseph Deuster, wife of the superintendent of the South side postal department of this city, and sister-in-law of P. V. Deuster, United States consul at Crefeld, died yesterday morning from an attempt at suicide by fire. She had long been a sufferer from nervous prostration and had several times threatened to take her life. Monday morning her husband was horrified on awakening on seeing the woman standing at his bedside enveloped in flames. She had applied a match to her own clothing.

Heavy Loss of Knights of Honor. St. Louis, June 10.—At the meeting here of the supreme lodge of the Knights of Honor interest is centered in the new plans for assessment insurance, which are now based on the mortality tables of the regular life companies. The loss of 10,000 members since Oct. 1 last year, when the new plan went into operation, has caused widespread discussion and comment, and the supreme body is somewhat exercised over the proper arrangement of its affairs.

Florida Meet at St. Louis. St. Louis, June 10.—Florida and Kentucky men from all parts of the country have assembled here for the purpose of discussing the proposed union of the two states.

New York, June 10.—Peter Maher and Tom Sharkey fought last night at the Palace Athletic club for a \$15,000 purse. At the end of the seventh round the police interfered and the contest resulted in a most unsatisfactory draw. Never in the history of the ring has there been such an enormous attendance at a boxing bout in this vicinity. There were about 10,000 persons squeezed into the big building, hoping that the police would let the men fight, but New York is particularly tender-hearted for pugilists and couldn't think of letting them hurt each other.

So, when Maher lost a little blood and later began sending in effective blows the police swarmed over the ropes and the fight was a draw. The boxing was very tame for five rounds, neither man showing a mark. In the sixth round Sharkey with a well directed straight right on the mouth, sent Peter sprawling half way through the ropes, where he struggled for five seconds before he regained his feet. Here was where the blood appeared. The seventh round was nearly completed when Maher, after getting in some good blows on Sharkey sent the latter to the floor near the ropes with a left in the wind and a right swing on the jaw.

During the clinch that followed when Sharkey got up again he swung his right and hit a second who was in the way attempting to enforce the orders of the referee to break away. This was thought to be a foul by the crowd and there were cries of "foul" from the partisans of both men. The din was terrific, but was increased tenfold when Inspector McLaughlin ordered the police to arrest all those concerned in the fight. Policemen in uniform swarmed into the ring and a number of detectives also climbed through the ropes. The referee got an opportunity to announce the bout a draw and this ended it.

SIGNED THAT STREET RAILWAY BILL

Governor Tanner Calls a Chicago Man Down Very Emphatically.

Springfield, June 10.—Governor Tanner signed the famous Allen street railway bill at 10:45 a. m. yesterday. Advocates and opponents of the bill were given a hearing by Governor Tanner Tuesday, and almost the entire day was consumed in speeches. There were several hot passages between the governor and John M. Harlan and the latter and C. T. Yerkes. Harlan stated broadly that the governor "must know" that the legislature was bribed to pass the bill. This brought the governor to his feet with blood in his eye. He said he did not know it and that he did not want Harlan to assert so. Harlan later repeated it and the governor said he would insist on a retraction before Harlan was permitted to proceed.

Harlan then retracted so far as the governor knowing was concerned, but said that if the governor had been on the floor of the legislature as he (Harlan) had, and heard the evidence he (Harlan) had, the governor would know that the legislature was bribed. Then the governor remarked that it was evidently Harlan's duty to go to the grand jury. While Harlan was making these charges he had said he couldn't prove them, and Yerkes told him that the man that made such charges when the accused were not present was a coward. Harlan said he didn't come to hear from Yerkes, but the latter insisted that he should hear by repeating the statement that a man who made such charges in such a manner was a coward.

Condition of Michigan Crops.

Lansing, Mich., June 10.—The Michigan crop report says that the average condition of wheat in the state is 78 per cent, as compared with 77 one year ago. Wheat has been badly injured by the wet weather. The acreage planted to corn is 99 per cent, of that of average years. That planted to oats is 91 per cent., and the condition of this crop is 86. Reports from 300 townships indicate that the number of sheep now on hand in the state is nearly 8 per cent. less than last year.

Costly Fire at Carlinville.

Springfield, Ill., June 10.—The great mill and elevator of the St. Louis Milling company at Carlinville, together with the large cooper shop, John Schaper's hardware store, and several residences near by, were totally destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. Cupples, the St. Louis millionaire wood merchant, purchased the mill in 1882 from Weer Brothers, who were bankrupt. The total loss is about \$200,000, with \$68,000 insurance.

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THE VANDALIA.

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On account of meeting of the Photographers' Association of America, the Vandalia Line will sell tickets July 11 and 12 to Lakewood or Jamestown, N. Y., at one first class limited fare for the round trip. For rates and full information call on or address FRANK R. HALE, Agent, St. Joseph, Mich.

Pittsburg, Pa., Excursion.

Account meeting of the Junior Order United Mechanics' National Council, the Vandalia Line will sell tickets June 12, 13, and 14 to Pittsburg and return at one fare for the round trip. For rates and full information, call on or address FRANK R. HALE, Agent, St. Joseph, Mich.

Excursion to Detroit.

June 7th and 8th the Vandalia line will sell tickets to Detroit and return at one fare for the round trip, account meeting of Imperial Council, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. For full information call on or address FRANK R. HALE, Agent, St. Joseph, Mich.

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IT IS A GREAT INDUSTRY.

Lake Ports are the Best Locations for Factories Making Beet Sugar.

More or less seriously the people of Benton Harbor have discussed the probabilities and possibilities of the establishment here of a sugar beet factory especially since the bounty law was passed.

It takes an enormous amount of money to establish such a factory but the money can always and easily be secured wherever the farmers will engage in beet raising and furnish the raw material for such a factory.

A writer in the Grand Rapids Democrat gives a good idea of the possibilities of such a factory and how to secure one.

It should be understood that a big sugar beet factory brings in a large amount of its beets by rail, and in order to be operated it covers a large acreage. There is an illustration in the Ohio bulletin of two trains loaded with beets at the Norfolk, Nebraska, beet sugar factory. In 1895 this factory made almost five million pounds of sugar so that the factory not only furnishes employment to the railroad for coal and other material it consumes, but also in hauling beets. If a beet factory were located in Grand Rapids, or Muskegon, the raising of beets would not be confined to either Kent or Muskegon counties, but adjoining counties would also be interested in such a factory.

The beet factory at Lehigh, Utah, in '93 used forty-five hundred tons of coal, two hundred tons of coke, sixteen hundred tons of lime rock, forty thousand double sugar bags, four thousand one hundred and fifty yards of heavy duck, ten hundred and fifty yards of German duck, six thousand pounds of soda, four thousand five hundred pounds of tallow, thirty thousand pounds of sulphur, ten thousand pounds of muriatic acid, five thousand dollars worth of laboratory supplies. Paid out for labor over fifty-two thousand dollars, and over one hundred and forty-two thousand dollars for beets. It employed two hundred hands in the factory and spent over two hundred and thirty thousand dollars to make four million pounds of sugar.

A sugar beet factory must be located where lots of water can be secured, as it requires not less than two million gallons daily, which is enough to supply quite a city. It will be seen from these figures that a sugar beet factory is more profitable at a port on Lake Michigan than it would be inland on account of water, coal and other supplies needed. The state of Wisconsin alone can use up one hundred and twenty million pounds of sugar in a year, at an expense of over five millions of dollars per year to the people. If this were divided among the farmers and in the operation of the factories it would be a great source of wealth to that state. It is a fact noted by travelers and well known by European governments that farmers in the beet-growing districts are thrifty and successful far beyond those of other districts, excepting the dairy district.

It has been found that beet culture is not exhaustive to the soil and that there is no better crop for rotation. The Walburn Swenson company of Chicago are manufacturers of sugar machinery, and they figure that a factory having a capacity of three hundred to three hundred and fifty tons of beets per day would entail a cost of machinery on cars in Chicago of one hundred and seventy thousand dollars, and a first-class building seventy-five thousand.

The first thing to be done to secure the location of a beet factory is for the farmer to learn how to grow sugar beets with profit. If, for a year or two, the farmers in two or three adjoining counties should each grow a few acres of sugar beets, thus demonstrating that they could raise them and what it would cost, as well as becoming acquainted with the business, they would then be in shape to make contracts for a large acreage, providing, of course, a factory could be established, and would know what they were going into. If the capitalist knew what it would cost to raise two thousand tons of beets in an adjoining county, what the same could be contracted for, and the sugar test was all right, and the quantity thus raised could be increased if desired, the large capital required to build and operate such a factory could be secured. In other words a sugar beet factory is dependent on two things: How large a supply can be contracted for by farmers of sugar beets of the required test, and second, where such a factory could be located with due regard to cheapness of operation and having plenty of water.

It will be seen that what the farmer can do is the first thing. If there is no factory the few acres of beets the farmer will raise in each year will not be lost, as they are worth the raising for stock feed and dairy purposes, and are a good crop for the farmer to have, even if there is no factory to sell to.

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A SCHOOL ELECTION.

St. Joseph Will Vote on Building a New School House.

A special school election will be held in St. Joseph June 23, to decide upon the proposition for building a new school in Finnigan's addition, the same to be paid at the rate of \$2,000 per year.

A BICYCLE ACCIDENT.

Little Child of Bert Nowlen's Knocked Unconscious.

Another bicycle accident occurred last evening, the result of careless riding on the sidewalk.

A little child of Bert Nowlen's was playing on the sidewalk on Broadway when a wheelman ran the little one down and it was some time before consciousness was restored.

The wheelman acted the gentleman. He stopped and expressed his sorrow. Said that he was a stranger and did not ride on the walks until he saw other people make a business of it. He added that he would never ride on the walk again.

BACK IN BUSINESS.

Edward Brammell Has Bought the Business of H. C. Hurlbut & Co.

Edward Brammell, who for many years has been in the plumbing business in this city, but who recently sold out to H. C. Hurlbut & Co., has pur-

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chased the stock and business and is now in possession. The differences which seemed at one time would involve the parties in litigation have been satisfactorily arranged by Attorneys Ellsworth and Harvey.

All those who have claims against or knowing themselves indebted to H. C. Hurlbut & Co., are requested to call upon Gore & Harvey.

Woman Murdered at Hurley.

Hurley, Wis., June 10. — A woman, known as "Irish Annie" was murdered at 12 o'clock Tuesday night. Sheriff Logan and a posse are out in search of the murderer. Men have been stationed all along the railway track between here and Ashland in hope of capturing the murderer.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Three hundred delegates are attending the annual national convention at Kansas City of the National Credit Men's association.

After threatening it for several years the village of Bangor, Wis., has actually boycotted the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway. Every business man of consequence has agreed not to patronize the road until a new station is built.

Obituary: At Malden, Mass., Commander George E. Wingate, U. S. N., 60. At Hillsdale, Mich., John H. Armstrong, 81. At New York, Robert Johnston Finley, 28; Stephen O'Brien.

Charles Bourbon del Monte, Prince di la Faustino, and Miss Jane Allen Campbell, daughter of the late George W. Campbell, of New York, were married at Geneva, Switzerland.

The defalcation of Paying Teller Boggs, of the First National bank, of Dover, Del., may reach \$100,000, but the bank is not affected seriously.

Within an hour after securing her divorce at Green Bay, Wis., Mrs. Schmidt, who is over 50 years old, was married to Stephen Peslo, 32 years old, of Maple Valley, Oconto county.

Fire destroyed the Casino hotel and saloon near Dollar Bay, Mich. Loss, \$5,000.

Miss Isabelle Perkins, the wealthiest heiress in Boston, will be wedded to Lars Anderson, of Ohio. Miss Perkins is estimated to be worth \$17,000,000 in her own right.

Louis Aldrich has been elected president of the Actors' Fund of America.

Excursion up the River.

The ladies of Benton Center Circle, who are raising money for building a Union church, will give an excursion up the river on the May Graham June 19. Fare for the round trip 50 cents. Boat will leave Benton Harbor at 7:30 a. m. and St. Joseph at 8:00. The ladies will conduct a lunch counter on the steamer. Bikes free.

No more dancing at the R. H. Hall.

A FAKE REPORT.

Spencer & Barnes Factory Will Not Shut Down.

A report has been vigorously circulated to the effect that the Spencer & Barnes furniture factory would close next Saturday night and not open again until September.

There is no truth whatever in the report. B. H. Spencer, of Spencer & Barnes, said this morning that the factory had never been closed down and would not be. It is probable that the factory may close for a week about July 4 for repairs, and possibly not even that. The business of the company considering the general condition of the trade is excellent.

Van Twiller, 10c cigar sold for 5c.

DETROIT WILL SUFFER.

New Michigan Central Time Card Not Liked.

NILES, Mich., June 10.—Businessmen who have an extensive correspondence with Detroit houses are much dissatisfied with the present train schedule on the Michigan Central, which gives only one day mail.

It is impossible to get a reply from Detroit inside of three days. Two merchants declared they would have to sever their business relations with Detroit houses, and do business with Chicago, on account of the delay in receiving mail orders, telegraphing being too expensive.

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FLORAL FASHIONS.

Violets, Carnations and Orchids—Summer Costume of Two Colors.

Natural flowers are more and more adopted by fashion, and on all social occasions they are used in profusion. At entertainments, balls, dinners, weddings and baptisms they are lavishly employed as decorations, and no preparations for a festivity are complete without them. In Paris they are much worn upon the person by men and women both. For men there is a prescribed mode which tells what particular flower shall be worn in each circumstance of daily life. For the early walk in morning costume a little bunch of Russian violets is selected; for the afternoon, a red carnation; for the theater in the evening, a white carnation; for a dinner, some curious orchid, or, if it is not a full dress dinner, a small cluster of Parma violets; at a ball, a cattleya, which has supplanted the gardenia. This fashion of wearing flowers in the buttonhole fell into disfavor for awhile, but is now revived and thoroughly established.

For women flowers are considered a necessity. Their apartments are always full of flowers, which are renewed daily. It is



SUMMER TOILET.

not advisable, however, to use for the decoration of living apartments varieties having a powerful fragrance, and they are especially out of place in a bedroom at night, as the strong perfume renders a confined place close. It is said that the lily, hyacinth and mimosa affect the throat and should never be placed in a room where there is to be singing.

Every country has its floral emblem. Germany prefers the cornflower and the forgetmenot, Austria the edelweiss, Italy and Denmark the marguerite. As for America, her flower has yet to be definitely selected.

A picture is given of a summer costume in two colors. The skirt is of accordion plaited straw mousseline de sole made over sky blue satin and trimmed around the foot with a wide fall of embroidered tulle headed by a ruche of mousseline de sole. The bodice of sky blue satin is covered with plaited and embroidered ruffles and has a wide corset belt of black satin. The tight sleeves of blue satin are covered with embroidered tulle and have caps composed of three plaited ruffles of straw gauze. The shoulder knots and collar are of pale blue satin. The hat of white straw is trimmed with embroidered straw gauze.

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ST. JOSEPH.

Harriet Shaw is in town for the summer.

Mrs. E. S. Sullivan is ill at her home on Broad street.

Miss Flora Greening has returned from a visit in Chicago.

Geo. Burt of Grand Rapids is in town visiting for a few days.

Raichhold's circus and hippodrome is billed for the 21 of this month.

Rev. J. J. Gore is having an addition built to the St. Joseph rectory.

Mrs. A. E. Stephens is building a new sidewalk in front of her home.

Dr. Staake of Kalamazoo came over from Chicago yesterday afternoon.

The new Seaser building will be occupied next week by W. B. Church.

Justice St. Claire is expected home tomorrow or next day from Ann Arbor.

A vaudeville show is billed for three nights at the Academy of Music next week.

W. W. Tremont and family have occupied the house just vacated by Mr. Vall.

Joseph Collier has accepted his old position on the Graham dock for another season.

Mrs. Coglan and daughter have returned from Chicago to spend the summer here.

Chester Jordan and Lawrence Ray went to Milwaukee with the excursion last night.

Robert Pooler has a very sore hand as the result of blood poisoning having run a rusty nail into it.

Tony Deitch is suffering from an abnormal swelling of the throat which confines him to his home.

Passenger traffic is light for this season. The City of Chicago brought over only a handful of passengers.

The barge Emma Thompson has made her trial trip and proved in perfect order since her overhauling.

Mr. Arthur Holton of the Vandalia line and Mrs. Anisley were quietly married last night at the home of Mrs. Anisley.

The Pingree Rifles will hold their regular drill tonight. A business meeting will also be held and a large attendance is desired.

The funeral of Joseph Leute was held yesterday. There was a very long procession, the Catholic Knights on foot numbering 100.

The hulk of the old steamer Reid, which was towed five miles up the south beach some weeks ago, is fast breaking up and the timbers coming ashore.

Mrs. Harry Stone and daughters Jessie and Dorothy started today for a three months visit in New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Ohio among relatives and friends.

The big Velle hotel formerly Velle's museum on the boulevard will be ready to open next week. The painters are finishing up the interior of the building this week.

The Hotel St. Joseph will open Saturday and will be new on as elaborate a scale as formerly. The new proprietor, H. G. Stone, has spent considerable money on the place during the past month and it was never better fitted to accommodate a large number of guests.

The Starrs were greeted with a somewhat smaller audience last night but it was made up by the brilliancy of their entertainment. Mr. Starr began the exhibition by putting his hand in the middle of the seat of a chair which had no back and carrying it around the room. Then he obtained messages from the spirit world on paper. He also did some fine cabinet work. Having been handcuffed by Officer Howland he went into the cabinet and in less than a minute came out without them. His last trick was taking a newspaper from the audience and having had two men hold it, stand away and set it on fire without touching it. He will be here two more nights.

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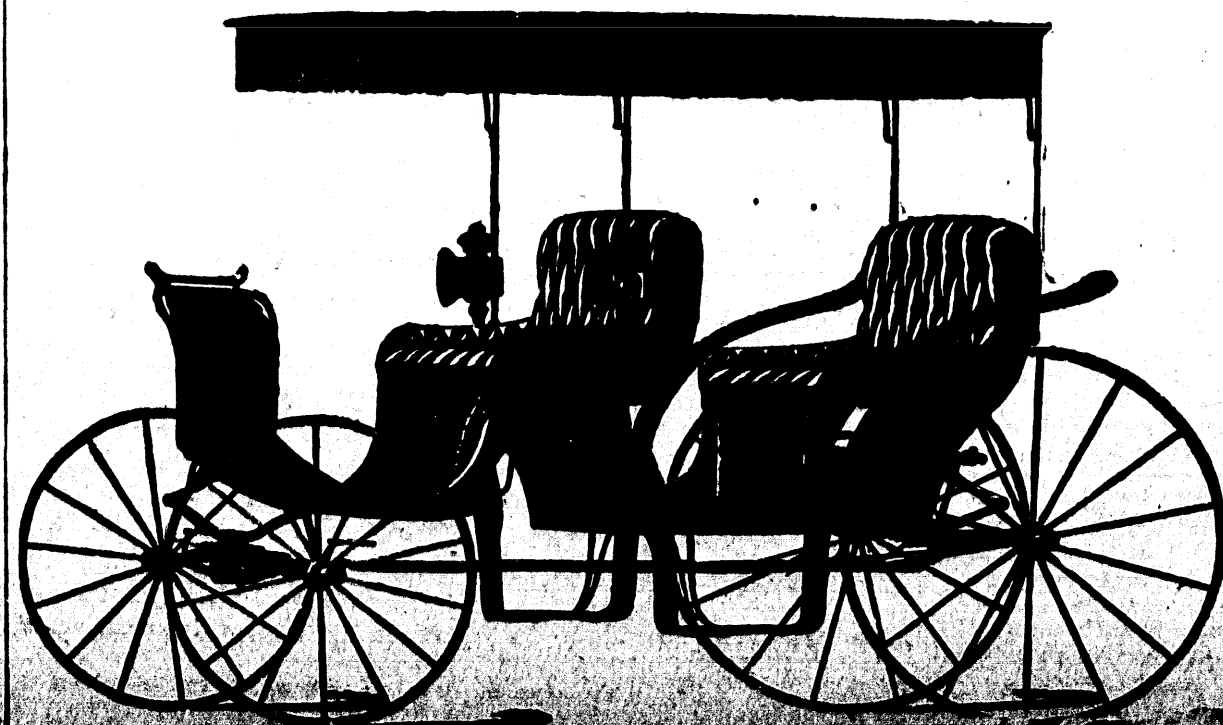
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